WEATHER FORECAST

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Fair; warmer tonight; cloudy Wednesday; southerly wind.
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WAR WITH CUBANS NEAR

Say They Were Tricked and a Resort to Arms Seems Inevitable

NEW YORK, May 16.—The Herald's Havana correspondent telegraphs:

The situation here has become most alarming. From all appearances the Cubans are to make armed manifestations against the United States and its mode of governing the islands, although conservative people hope for a peaceful settlement. It was brought abruptly to a head last Saturday by a quarrel between General Gomez and General Brooke, which has been brewing for the last two months. This movement will probably be supported by many Cubans.

CUBAN ARMY HATES BROOKE.

The army, which is really represented (although many dispute his authority) by General Gomez, is particularly bitter against General Brooke and his policy. The soldiers declare they have been miserably fooled and trapped by the Americans. They look upon the exchange of a gun for $75, as an ignominious transaction for them, as they have not been defeated by Americans, and consequently they refuse to exchange.

Some persons say the determination of the army not to surrender is an outcome of General Brooke's refusal to sanctin General Gomez's plan for a Cuban militia. At the Cuban headquarters, the statement is denied, in particular by General Gomez, who, however, refuses to discuss the present situation.

A CUBAN'S STATEMENT.

One of Gomez's prominent officers said: "General Gomez was brought to this city through the influence of Mr. Porter. He was told at that time he was wanted in Havana to help General Brooke establish a government for the Cubans, which would have no other basis than freedom, and independence. He was miserably fooled.

"He has been ridiculed for the manner in which he has been treated by Brooke. He has, on account of his intimacy with the American government, lost popularity with the Cubans, who say he has been a traitor to their cause.

BROOKE'S DARK PLOT.

"This was part of Brooke's scheme. He wished to render Gomez useless, in order that he might, with further ease, follow out his orders from Washington.

"Gomez and his men are distik d and unpopular today. He has not influence. A recommendation from him does more harm than good. Cubans imagine he has been working for annexation. He will prove the contrary this week, when he publishes letters which have been exchanged between him, General Brooke and President McKinley.

GOMEZ'S POVERTY.

"After he has done this, the General will probably leave the island. He has not a penny. He lives on charity. In fact we are all doing the same. Gomez was forced to dismiss his staff, as he did not even have food for them. They are looking for work. One Colonel has been made a policeman at a salary of $62 a month. All Gomez's enemies have splendid positions, while his officers and men starve."

BROOKE HAS A FREE HAND.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—General Brooke has not reported to the War Department any serious situation in Cuba, and it is not believed at the Department that any alarm need be felt regarding the condition of affairs.

No advice is given General Brooke as it has been the policy of the President to clothe the officers in command in the islands with power to deal with the situations as they arise, and hold such officers responsible. The confidence of the War Department in General Brooke was strengthened by the visit of Secretary Alger to Cuba. What had been done and what was going forward seemed to Secretary Alger for the best interests of all the people of the island.

BROOKE HELD FIT FIRM.

It has been the policy of General Brooke to deal mildly with the Cubans and avoid any action which would tend to irritate, but to be firm when it is necessary, and the disturbers will be made to understand that overt acts will not be permitted.

Communications that General Brooke has made to the War Department regarding the situation are not given to the public, but the officials understand that the source of the present trouble is that the "Generals" of the Cuban army are disappointed because they are not likely to realize as much out of the money appropriated for the army as they think they should. These "Generals" all believed that they would secure a portion of the money equal to their rank and their own estimate of their services.

CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE.

The whole trouble regarding the payment of the money and the delay may be traced directly to those officers, who, as members of the Assembly, or as supporters of Gomez, have constantly raised obstacles in the way of a peaceful disarmament for the present in absolute control of the affairs of the island.

ORDERS MUST BE OBEYED.

One thing is assured beyond all other considerations. The United States will remain for the present in absolute control of the island, and the orders of the officers in command will be sustained by the Government at Washington.

SAN QUENTIN PRISON GUARD CUT TO DEATH.

Another Murder in the Record of Jacob Oppenheimer.

Recently Killed a Fellow Convict at Folsom Prison.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN QUENTIN, Cal., May 16.—Jacob Oppenheimer, an ex-messenger boy of San Francisco, who is serving a life term in the penitentiary here for the murder of a fellow convict named Ross at Folsom prison a short time ago, last night attacked James McDonald, a prison guard, stabbing him five times.

McDonald will die.

Oppenheimer was reprimanded by Guard McDonald for an infraction of prison rules, and attacked the guard, stabbing him three times over the heart and twice in other places.

The guard had no means of defending himself against the onslaught of Oppenheimer, who was subdued by guards and prisoners, who went to the rescue of McDonald.

The knife with which Oppenheimer did the stabbing has not been found.

Oppenheimer is one of the most dangerous convicts in California, and has made assaults on fellow convicts many times. He was sentenced to serve a long term in the Folsom Penitentiary for robbery committed in Oakland.

He was subsequently given life for killing a convict.

Oppenheimer was sentenced to thirty-five years' imprisonment for laying and robbing a woman in Oakland. He was one of the Holland gang of this city. They robbed Garrett & Taggart's drug store at Fourteenth and Broadway.

WARDEN AULL'S STATEMENT.

SACRAMENTO, May 16.—Warden Aull of the Folsom Prison was informed by the Bee this morning of the murderous action of Jacob Oppenheimer at San Quentin.

Said Warden Aull: "I consider that this tragedy is due to no other cause than the miscarriage of justice in the trial of Oppenheimer at Sacramento for the murder of Convict Ross. In that case one of the jurors held out for life imprisonment. In order to prevent a total disagreement, the other jurors consented to a verdict of life imprisonment. The result is seen in today's assination at San Quentin.

"It is easy enough for a convict who has committed a cold blooded murder to get fellow convicts to swear him innocent. This was done in the case of Kelly and Dutchy Baker at San Quentin.

"Prisoners of the Oppenheimer stripe should be confined in a separate ward, both at San Quentin and Folsom. There are about fifty of them at San Quentin, and twenty-five at Folsom. They are the men who cause the whole trouble.

"I have been urging the Legislature to provide such a ward for a long time, and so have the Prison Directors. We know the men who are dangerous. If the fact became known that such men were to be isolated from the other prisoners, it would act as a deterrent."

Shortly after the noon hour on September 26, 1898, a fiendish murder was committed in the Penitentiary at Folsom, Jacob Oppenheimer, serving a term of fifty years for a robbery committed in Alameda county, stabbing Walter H. Ross to death. The prisoners had just been brought in from the quarries, and were standing in the corridors awaiting the order to march into the dining room for dinner.

Oppenheimer stole quietly up behind Ross, threw one arm about his neck and with his disengaged hand stabbed his victim several times with a keen knife which had been made out of a file.

Ross died from his wounds in a short time.

Oppenheimer had always had a grudge against Ross, because he believed the latter's brother had, by turning State's evidence, helped to secure Oppenheimer's conviction for the Alameda county robbery.

Oppenheimer was finally brought to trial in the Superior Court of this county for the murder of Ross. Several of the most notorious convicts in the Folsom Penitentiary were brought to this city to testify for the defense, and they succeeded in getting in testimony which saved the neck of the murderer. The convicts, who were the associates of Oppenheimer, swore that Ross had frequently made threats against him. The authorities had believed they would be able to bring out enough evidence to hang Oppenheimer for his fiendish crime, but the evidence of his pals had sufficient weight to create a certain doubt in the minds of the jurors, and they brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree, but favored imprisonment for life. On the first day of last February Oppenheimer was sentenced to life imprisonment in the Penitentiary at San Quentin.

C. E. Chorus. Soloists, Male Chorus, Tonight.

"NUTMEG MATCH" AT THE DEWEY.

The play for this week at the Dewey Theater is "The Nutmeg Match," a piece the strength and beauty of which are not shown by its name. Despite the title, which is of a semi-humorous character, the play has a number of stirring scenes and these are worked up with thrilling effect. The exciting events of the piece are well worked up also and the applause which greets each tableau justifies repeated rising of the curtain. The humorous scenes are many and the performers who take part in them are adepts in the art of making people laugh. The audience was large and full houses are expected throughout the week.

OAKLAND BOY WILL BE SHOT FOR MURDER.

Abe Majors Sentenced to Die Early in July.

The Youthful Desperado Chooses the Manner of His Death.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

OGDEN, Utah, May 16.—This morning, at Brigham City, Judge Hart pronounced sentence of death on Abe Majors, convicted of killing Captain of Police Brown of Ogden on April 20th.

The prisoner elected to be shot, and the sentence will be carried out on July 7th.

Majors showed no emotion whatever when sentence was pronounced.

The defense moved for a new trial.

FINISH FIGHT ON IN BUFFALO.

Monthly Men Refuse to Stand by the Strikers.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BUFFALO, May 16.—Three elevators are working today, the monthly men, although members of the union, failing to come out.

The contractors expect to have the Ontario in operation during the day. Over fifty men have been brought here from the outside points, and will be put to work at the Erie dock, and the contractor has 140 men at work.

At the Lehigh Valley, Central and Northern docks, large gangs of freight handlers are at work.

The coal handlers, coal heavers and ore handlers are still out, and that class of work is almost entirely suspended.

The Lake Carriers' Association, having apparently dropped out after expressing their confidence in Bishop Quigley, the affair has settled down to a finish fight between the strikers and the contractors. Good order prevails.

MAY END THE STRIKE.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 16.—Contractor Connors and Inspector Donovan, appointed by Bishop Quigley, have signed an agreement which it is expected will end the strike. It will be submitted to the Bishop.

CONTRACTOR SHAY ASSIGNS HIS CLAIM.

John M. Shay, contractor for the West Oakland engine house has assigned his claims against the city for the balance due on his contract to Attorney J. B. Richardson who will take immediate steps to reach a settlement with the creditors.

The balance due on the contract is about $8,800 and it is estimated that the creditors will receive about 60 cents on the dollar from this source. The claims filed against Shay with the Board of Works footed up to over $5,000, but it is believed that when some of these have been cut down to contract figures, the amount due will be only about $4,500. Suits are now pending against Shay's bondsmen for the full amount due, but the amount received by the creditors from the city will go towards these claims so that the bondsmen will, if judgment against them is given, only have to make up the difference.

BURGLARS KEEP UP THE TROUBLE.

Burglars entered the residence of W. F. Stanley at 838 Madison street Sunday night, getting away with nearly $17. The intruder or intruders as the case may be, were evidently looking for money only as considerable valuable jewelry was undisturbed.

Restrains Her Husband.

Mrs. Isabella Laing has secured an injunction restraining Peter M. Laing from disposing of his property pending the trial of her suit for divorce.

MINERS FIGHT TO THE DEATH IN ARKANSAS.

White Strikers Attack Imported Negroes in a Stockade.

One of the Assailants Shot Dead an Another Wounded.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, May 16.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Little Rock, Ark., says:

Forty strikers attacked forty colored miners behind a stockade at Mine No. 53, near Huntington, today, firing volley after volley at them. Two men on guard at the stockade returned the fire, killing one of the strikers. John Wright, and the others withdrew, leaving John Campbell wounded.

A number of guards have been posted about the mine, and more trouble is feared.

The colored miners had been imported from Illinois several days ago to take the places of strikers. Several warnings have been sent to them to leave town or suffer the consequences. Today's attack, which occurred before daylight, was the result of their refusal to leave.

SHE POISONED THREE PERSONS.

Russian Woman of High Birth Is Sent to Siberia.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—A trial which has caused a great sensation here, owing to the high station of the prisoner, has just been concluded. The evidence disclosed that the accused, Maria Mershiwacka, a woman of noble birth, had led an extraordinary career of intrigue and crime.

The court found her guilty of poisoning her lover and two women, owing to jealousy; kidnapping a child and forging documents and bills of exchange.

She was sentenced to fifteen years' penal servitude in Siberia and to be deprived of her title of nobility.

CLASS OF '76 HOLDS REUNION.

The residence of Judge Slack at Leavenworth and Vallejo streets, San Francisco, was the scene last night of the celebration of the Twenty-third anniversary of the graduation of the class of '76 of the University of California. Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. Pardee, Fred Slate, Mr. and Mrs. Scotchler, J. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brown, M. A. Dorn, Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Morse, Professor Edmund O'Neil, Miss Sarah Balton, Harry I. Coon, Edwin G. Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Wilcott, Miss Millicent Shinn and Mrs. William Keith.

The evening was spent very pleasantly telling the old college tales, singing the old college songs, and, last but not least the giving of the class yell.

Kidnaped a Witness.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Arthur S. Colyar, the man from Nashville, pleaded guilty to kidnaping Nichols Whitman, a witness in the Molineux case and was sentenced to the penitentiary for sixty days. He went out of court laughing and waving his hands.

Suicide at Watsonville.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WATSONVILLE, May 16.—C. M. Scheppard, an old and respected resident of this city, committed suicide last night by shooting himself. He had been in ill health. He was 71 years of age and a native of New York. Mark Scheppard, a Calaveras county mining man, is a brother of the deceased.

A Lecture on Manila.

An interesting lecture on Manila was given a few days ago to the pupils of B seventh and A eighth grades of the Lincoln school by Dr. Dukes, who has recently returned from Manila. Dr. Dukes was chief surgeon of the transport and a member of Brigadier-General Miller's staff.

ARRESTED FOR HIGH TREASON

Seven British Officers Are Prisoners in the Transvaal.

CAPE TOWN, May 16.—The Argus of this city today publishes a dispatch from Pretoria, capital of the Transvaal or South African Republic, saying that P. W. Reitz, the secretary of State, confirming the report that a number of unusual arrests have been made at Johannesburg, and that it is rumored that the prisoners are British officers.

EXCITEMENT IN PRETORIA.

PRETORIA, Transvaal Republic, May 16.—The arrest at Johannesburg early this morning of seven alleged former British officers named Nicholls, Patterson, Trenlett, Ellis, Freiss, Hooper and Mitchell, on the charge of high treason has caused intense excitement here.

The prisoners were brought to Pretoria by special train. After they had been lodged in jail they were visited by the British Diplomatic agent here.

The arrests were effected by detectives, who joined the movement, which it is asserted was for the purpose of enrolling men to make an outbreak of rebellion.

Documents were found on the prisoners, and it is expected that further arrests will be made.

SENSATION IN LONDON.

LONDON, May 16.—The arrests this morning at Johannesburg are probably connected with a series of dispatches received from Pretoria on May 12th saying a special train fully equipped with Boer artillerymen, guns and a searchlight apparatus was being held in readiness at the capital of the Transvaal. The statement was then declared without significance, but today's news throws more serious light on the affair, and it is certain there will be a great sensation in London when the news of the arrests becomes generally known.

The afternoon newspapers today print special dispatches from Cape Town saying seven men have been arrested at Johannesburg and have been taken to Pretoria. The government of the Colony, it further appears, is considering the matter secretly. The news has caused great excitement through South Africa.

A FORMIDABLE PLOT.

The Standard and Diggers News, the Boer's organ in London, has a dispatch from Pretoria which says that warrants were issued yesterday evening by the State Attorney and were executed at midnight. The dispatch adds that a plot of rebellion is alleged to have been maturing for four months, and the accused, who are said to have been engaged by the South African League, have already enlisted 2,000 men.

Cecil Rhodes, the former president of Cape Colony, and who is interested in the British chartered soldiers, informs the Associated Press that he has heard nothing about the arrests at Johannesburg and knows nothing about the reason for which they were made.

Mrs. Gordon's Petition Denied

Judge Hunt has denied the petition of Clara A. Gordon for a distribution of the estate of the late Captain J. C. Wilson. This was the second petition of Mrs. Gordon. She claimed to be a widow of the deceased.

HOIST WITH HIS OWN PETARD.

Greedy grocer to farmer's wife, who is supplying him with butter—This pun' o' butter is over light, gudewife.

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TOPHAM AGAIN A FREE MAN

Embezzlement Charges Against Him Dismissed.

W. E. Topham, charged with felony embezzlement, for having failed to turn over money to the Berkeley Electric Lighting Company which he had collected was discharged from custody this morning by Judge Quinn all the charges against him having been dismissed. District Attorney Allen appeared for the people.

John A. Britton testified that Topham was secretary of the Berkeley Electric Lighting Company of which the witness was president. Topham had charge of all the money coming into the office of the company and the right to deposit the money in behalf of the company in bank, drawing checks in company with witness and, in fact, was manager of the affair in Berkeley. The amount of money collected in a year amounted to about $15,000. Witness had had several conversations with Topham since the 13th of January.

The features of the conversation were objected to until the defense brought out the fact that, for several days prior, Topham was under surveillance of an officer and, at the time of the talk, Topham was in the presence of an officer.

Witness stated that to the best of his recollection the talks took place about the 20th of March. He asked Topham to explain certain entries in the books which could not be understood. The explanation was satisfactory to the witness. In other talks with the prisoner, witness learned of the purchase of certain meters in San Francisco by Topham and of the sale of the same on Topham's own account. It was subsequently discovered that the meters were purchased from a company with which the Eikly Electric Lighting Company had been doing business and the meters were charged to the company. The amount of the bill was $63. The bill was paid by the company. Subsequently, the $63 was refunded to the company by Topham, after the filing of the complaint against him.

On cross-examination, Mr. Britton said that Topham had previously had transactions of the same kind in which the company was reimbursed.

Mr. Allen said that he would not move that the defendant be held under the testimony and the defendant was accordingly discharged.

There were two other charges against Topham, one of which, in effect, charged him with the embezzlement of $70. Witness Britton could not state whether or not that money was paid to the company. The money did not appear in the cash book on the day of the collection although on that day Topham had deposited money in the bank in the name of the company. There was still a swell amount of money due the company by Topham but the company owed Topham for the part of the month of March which he worked for it. Witness could not tell whether or not the omission of the item of $70 from the cash account was done intentionally or accidentally.

On this charge the defendant was also discharged.

The third charge was of embezzling $67.95. This was part of a bill of $99.25 collected on the 3d of March from the town of Berkeley, and of which amount only $31.30 appeared in the cash book of the company, yet the receipted warrant of the town showed that the full amount has been receipted for by Topham.

Mr. Allen said he did not think the evidence was sufficient to convict and the third charge was dismissed also.

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THE BUSINESS OF THE COUNTY.

At the meeting of the Board of Supervisors this morning there were present Supervisors Church, Roeth and Wells.

J. F. Quinn, Emeryville, asked for a free license. He said he was an old soldier, but had lost his discharge papers. His request was denied.

Mrs. Bean, who resides in the Henry House, asked for relief. The matter was referred to Supervisor Church, who stated that all he was willing to do for her was to allow her to go to the County Hospital. The applicant stated that she would not go to the hospital. Her application was then denied.

The application of Mrs. Keziah Mason, a native of Ohio, 671 East Thirty-second street, aged 57 years, was referred to Supervisor Roeth.

The application for relief of Cornelius Brosnahan, aged 70 years, was referred to Supervisor Church.

The District Attorney reported in the matter of the claim of E. M. Derby for $147.71 that the claim was a valid one and that money would have to be retained out of the cost of the building of county road No. 2035 in order to satisfy the same.

On motion of Supervisor Roeth it was decided to hereafter keep a special record for applications for relief, which will facilitate the compilation of the same when a statement is required by the State.

Charles Davis was allowed a reduction of sentence in the County Jail of five days for good conduct.

Saloon licenses were granted as follows: Wm. McCormick and M. Meyerfield, Jr., on the steamers Oakland and Berkeley; C. Clandt, Fitchburg; John Henningsen, Alvarado; Thomas Faustina, Alvarado; John Tabler, East Fourteenth street, near High street.

The question of revoking the license of the Thalia saloon on the San Leandro road was laid over until the return of Supervisor Tafeuti.

The report of F. B. Granger Jr., road foreman of Alvarado district, showed an expenditure of $54. Filed.

The report of Joseph Sunderer, road foreman of Washington District, showed an expenditure of $102.45. Filed.

The requisition of the Sheriff for printed blanks was granted.

The application of Mrs. Rita Silva of Centerville for relief was referred to Supervisor Wells.

Applications for saloon licenses were received from the following: P. J. Murphy, Sunol; C. Delmue, Sunol; Hansen & Frank, Warm Springs; Christian Vonder Helde, Midway; L. Hansen, Centerville; Anna Holin, Halfway House, Niles road. The applications were referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The Board adjourned until Monday, May 22d.

MRS. CECILE COIN PASSES AWAY.

Mrs. Cecile Coin, died yesterday at her late residence 1570 Broadway where, for a number of years, she was at the head of the French Laundry. The deceased was 55 years old, and a native of France. She was the widow of the late Raymond Coin and mother of Albert R. Coin and Mrs. D. F. O'Connell and the aunt of P. Lavet, one of the proprietors of Barnum's restaurant. The deceased had resided in this city for a number of years. She was widely known and esteemed by all who knew her. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning from her late residence. The remains will be borne to the Church of St. Francis de Sales where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul.

WORK ON GERMAN CABLE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The Commercial Company's steamer Britannia has arrived at the Azores, and will start this week to make soundings for laying the strand which is to connect Germany and the United States.

George G. Ward, vice-president and manager of the company, will sail on the American Line steamer St. Paul, which leaves for Southampton next Wednesday. He has been summoned to Cologne, where he will consult with the officials of the German-Atlantic Telegraph Company.

Every effort is being made to hasten the laying of the new cable.

Mr. Ward said that he expected to be gone at least a month. In this time he thinks all the preliminary arrangements for the laying of the cable will be completed. It is expected that the section between this country and the Azores will be in working order by fall.

A Mormon Disappears.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOGAN, Utah, May 15.—Orson Smith, president of the Cache County Stake, of the Mormon Church, left here two weeks ago, and it is learned that he has left indebtedness throughout the county aggregating $200. He was the owner of large properties in this section, and it is feared his business is in bad shape. Mr. Smith was a native of Iowa, was appointed president of the Stake in 1890, and was appointed postmaster at Logan by President McKinley last November. He was also representative of the Studebaker Company in Cache county.

Secretary Gage Returns.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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WASHINGTON, May 15.—Secretary Gage has returned from a two-weeks' vacation at Hot Springs, Va. He has fully recovered his usual vigor.

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SACRAMENTO, May 15.—Governor Gage this morning appointed Jake Steppacher to be registrar of voters at San Francisco and Newton S. Bangham of Pasadena, Major of the Seventh Infantry, to be Colonel and Adjutant-General at a salary of $2,400 a year.

The following promotions were made among officers now with the First California Regiment at Manila:

G. H. Richardson of the Hospital Corps, to be Captain and Assistant Surgeon; First Sergeant Ashley R. Farless to be Second Lieutenant of Company K; Second Lieutenant Carlton W. Seeley, to be First Lieutenant of Company K; First Lieutenant Thomas W. Sparrow, to be Captain of Company G; First Sergeant Charles E. Thompson to be First Lieutenant of Company G.

STRANDED IN PORTO RICO.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—It is stated at the War Department that there are no discharged troops in Porto Rico to which the Government is responsible in any way. When Secretary Alger was in Porto Rico a large number of men who had enlisted in the regular army for the war asked to be discharged, and in lieu of being returned to the United States by the Government, to receive travel pay in money. It was believed that these men would settle on the Island and go to work to improve the conditions. It is supposed that the money that was paid to them, amounting to two or three hundred dollars each, has been expended, and they are now without means of subsistence.

The Adjutant-General telegraphed General Davis today asking him if there were any discharged men there who had not been paid off. It is the intention of the Department to pay such men at once. Most of the men discharged from the regular organizations have returned at different times on Government transports to the United States.

CUBAN BANDITS' WORK.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

HAVANA, May 15.—A dispatch from Puerto Principe says five armed men attacked a store at Quinta Navales, half a league from Puerto Principe, killing the storekeeper, Ysidro Fernandez, severing his head from his body with a machete. The storekeeper's assistant, Juan Parrado, in defending Fernandez, received four machete wounds, from which he will die. The store was sacked of everything and a quantity of money was taken.

The advices from Puerto Principe also record the appearance of several bands of armed men on the estates near the boundary between the provinces of Puerto Principe and Santiago de Cuba. A detachment of 200 cavalrymen and a force of rural police, with packs and provisions for twenty-five days have been in pursuit of the band.

ST. LOUIS WILL PROTEST.

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CHICAGO, May 15.—It was announced here today that St. Louis citizens will protest to Congress against Secretary Alger's permission to open a drainage canal, if an extra session should be called before the time set for opening the big ditch. It was also discovered that the big channel cannot be finished this year so it will carry 300,000 cubic feet of water per minute as required by law. This may delay the opening for another year, and if Governor Tanner wishes to assert his prerogative he can refuse to grant permission to the Sanitary Board to turn the water into the canal.

THE QUEEN AT KENSINGTON

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, May 15.—Queen Victoria arrived in London today from Windsor, accompanied by the Duke and Duchess of York, and her suite, and drove to Kensington Palace, the party occupying a number of open four-horse landaus and escorted by a detachment of the Horse Guards. Thousands of enthusiastic people gathered on the route to the palace, where her majesty visited the old apartments, which she occupied as a young girl, which have been renovated preparatory to opening the palace to the public.

On the arrival of her majesty at Paddington railroad station she noticed on the platform a shaggy Irish terrier named "Tim," which collects contributions for the widows and orphans. The Queen had "Tim" brought to her, and after patting the dog on the head, she dropped a piece of gold in to the box hanging about the dog's neck.

Mrs. Choate, wife of the United States Embassador, will present at the Queen's drawing room tomorrow, in addition to Mrs. Alice Harrish, her sister, and Mrs. Jennings of Philadelphia and Miss Nora Neff of Chicago, Miss Mary Stillman of New York.

In the diplomatic circle, Mrs. Choate will present Miss Choate and Miss Elizabeth Choate, a niece of Mr. Choate, and Mrs. and Miss Leischman, the wife and daughter of Minister Leischman to Switzerland.

Cavalry From Cuba.

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NEW YORK, May 15.—The United States transport Kilpatrick arrived today from Havana, where she embarked with fifty-nine soldiers of the Eighth Cavalry, who have served their enlistment, and will be discharged at this port. The Kilpatrick will undergo repairs at this port.

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BLOODY DEED OF A SANTA MARIA MAN.

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SANTA MARIA, Cal., May 15.—News of a horrible tragedy was received here today from a point twenty miles up the Santa Maria river.

Yesterday J. L. Hamilton, a painter who was employed in the sugar factory here, drove with his wife to the Dutard ranch to visit their son-in-law, Joseph Olivaras. They started to return late in the afternoon and had gone but a short distance when Hamilton attacked his wife with a knife, cutting her throat and killing her. He then cut his own throat.

The horse returned to the ranch and this led to an investigation.

At the Coroner's inquest held today, it was learned that Hamilton, who came from Bakersfield, Cal., had been acting strangely, for some time past and that his wife had told others of a fear she had of him. On Saturday he was seen sharpening the knife with which he committed the deed.

Festival Concert, to-night, Exposition Building.

BRITISH PACIFIC CABLE.

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LONDON, May 15.—Replying in the House of Lords today to the Earl of Aberdeen, Liberal, former Governor-General of Canada, who urged the importance of the imperial and colonial government reaching an agreement with reference to the Pacific cable, the Earl of Selbourne, Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, said her majesty's government was perfectly prepared to review the whole matter in the light of any new representations the colonies might make, with a sincere desire to arrive at a decision satisfactory to all the governments concerned.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Chamberlain, had a conference today on the subject of the proposed Pacific cable with Baron Strathcona and Mount Royal, the High Commissioner of Canada, and other colonial agents in general, who pointed out the modifications of the original proposition. Mr. Chamberlain promised that they should receive the best consideration.

How Indemnity Was Paid.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The fourth and last of the $5,000,000 treasury payments paid to Spain for the Philippine Islands was presented at the National City Bank today by a representative of the French Embassy. This draft will pass through the clearing house in tomorrow's exchanges. Not one dollar of the $15,000,000 already paid to Spain has really gone out of this country, the entire transaction having been conducted on the basis of foreign exchanges. As there has been a large trade balance in favor if this country in about every one of the continental money markets, the indemnity money has been charged against these balances.


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PEKING, May 15.—The Russian demand for a new railroad concession connecting Peking with Rusia's present railroad system in Manchuria, is still causing the gravest anxiety. The chief Chinese officials are holding constant consultations with the Dowager Empress.

It appears to be the general opinion that it is intended the line should start from Shan-hai-kwan and run direct to Peking, by way of Shohol.

The Germans and Japanese are particularly uneasy on the subject of this unexpected move on the part of the Russians, and it is said there is a feeling among the prominent Chinese that the movement has to come to make every effort in the direction of securing British sympathy and aid.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE

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NEW YORK, May 15.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today began an investigation in this city of the export rate situation and the alleged manipulation of low export grain tariffs, of which complaints have been made by New York merchants against the eastbound lines to Newport News, Baltimore, Philadelphia and other North Atlantic seaboard ports. It is asserted that the tariff on export trade is lower than the domestic home rates and that domestic grain has been carried at the low export rates on the representation that it was destined to a foreign port. The commission is to hold sessions in all the principal cities of the East and West.

It is proposed to secure evidence showing all the important changes that have taken place in rates to the Atlantic seaboard on shipments of grain and grain products and the reason therefore.

WILL MEET M'KINLEY

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, May 15.—The formal invitation to President Diaz of Mexico and Lord Minto, Governor-General, and their Cabinets, to meet President McKinley and his Cabinet in Chicago at the Federal Building corner-stone ceremonies and to be the guests of the Federal Committe at the Chicago autumnal carnival have been prepared and signed by 150 citizens of Chicago. A special envoy who was sent to Ottawa and to the City of Mexico has received assurance from both Lord Minto and President Diaz that will accept the invitation.

RAILWAY PRESIDENT SHOT.

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ST. LOUIS, May 15.—A special telegram from Decoto, Missouri, to the Post-Dispatch says that H. N. Halladay, president of the Williamsville, Greenville and St. Louis Railway, was shot and killed at Williamsville today by Monroe Johnson, a prominent lumberman. No particulars.

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At the meeting of the Council last evening the following ordinance regulating saloons was introduced by Councilman Stetson:

"Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

"Section 1. Ordinance No. 1003, entitled an ordinance establishing and regulating the traffic, vending and dispensing of spirituous, malt and fermented liquors or wines or any admixture thereof, in the city of Oakland, approved September 4th, 1888, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be designated section 5½, said section to read as follows:

"'All liquors and wines sold or given away under the provisions of this ordinance shall be dispensed in a single room, fronting on a street and in the ground floor, and not in any basement, and said room shall have no back or side entrance or be connected by means of any door, opening or passage way with any other room whatsoever.'

"Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately."

The ordinance was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

NAVAL PRIZE DECISION.

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WASHINGTON, May 15.—The United States Supreme Court today decided the prize money case of the French steamer Olina Rodriguez, the first of the naval prizes, growing out of the Spanish war, to reach the court. The decision was announced by Chief Justice Fuller, and decreed that the vessel, which was captured off San Juan on the 17th of July, and has been held since by this Government, shall be returned to its owners, on the ground that it was not proven that the steamer's officers intended to run the blockade of the port.

The court held incidentally that the blockade of San Juan was effective.

SURF LINE TROUBLE.

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LOS ANGELES, May 15.—Colonel H. E. Stone, representing the Southern Pacific Railway Company in this city, will go to Santa Barbara, where a public meeting is to be held tomorrow night to discuss the situation regarding the completion of the new surf line of the Southern Pacific. It is expected that the settlement of the differences between the company and the owners of the land over which the road passes will be settled at this meeting and all obstacles to the conclusion of the building of the line removed.

VALENCIA ARRIVES.

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—The United States transport Valencia arrived today from the Philippines. The journey from Manila was made in 27 days. On board the Valencia were Captain F. E. Buchau and thirty-six discharged soldiers, besides five passengers. The Valencia came up in ballast.

Baptist Anniversary.

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LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 15.—At the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention this morning, H. H. Gambrill, D. D., of Texas, B. H. Carroll, D. D., of Texas, and W. B. Campbell, D. D., of Georgia, were appointed fraternal messengers to attend the celebration of the National Baptist's anniversary in St. Louis next month.

The closing session of the Woman's Missionary Union was held today. The work of the Mormons was discussed by Mrs. J. B. Easterly of Georgia and Mrs. Stephen Crocket of Florida. It was the sense of the convention that missionary work of the Mormons should be checked.

A Palatial Court Room.

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DETROIT, Mich., May 15.—The United States Circuit Court room in the government building, which is claimed to be the most elaborate court room in the country, was used for the first time today by the sitting of the Court of Appeals for the Sixth Federal District, which usually sits in Cincinnati. Twenty-eight varieties of marble were used in the finish of this court room, that material covering the walls for two-thirds of the space from the floor to the ceiling.

McKinley's Western Trip.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

HOT SPRINGS, Va., May 15.—Congressman Fletcher of Minnesota arrived today and presented McKinley with an invitation to visit the State. Unless unlooked for conditions prevail, he will include St. Paul and Minneapolis in his tour.

Glass Worker' Dispute.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 15.—The wage committee of the General Glass Bottle Makers' Association met today to revise its demands for presentation at the joint conference of workmen and manufacturers tomorrow. The workmen will ask for an advance of 14 per cent.

A Bank Dividend.

WASHINGTON, May 15—The Comptroller of the Treasury has declared a 5 per cent divident in favor of the Directors of the Consolidated National Bank, of San Diego, Cal.

Suicide Follows an Accident.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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NEW YORK, May 15.—John D. Scott for the past two years manager of the Tarrytown estate of John L. Rockefeller, committed suicide at Tarrytown today by shooting himself in the head. Four years ago Scott was injured about

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ALLEN—In this city, at the Galindo Hotel, May 15th, James J. Allen, M. D., a native of Virginia, aged 55 years.

Funeral Wednesday, May 17, at 10 A. M. from the undertaking rooms of Corrigan and Leitch, at Eighth and Broadway. Remains will be deposited in the vault at Mountain View Cemetery. Funeral private.

MAUCK—In this city, May 15, 1899, Flora Mauck, a native of Canada, aged 34 years.

MULHERN—In this city, May 15, 1899, Annie A., beloved wife of Francis Mulhern and mother of Albert, Edward, Frankie, Norma and Guy Mulhern, a native of Ireland aged 36 years and 9 months.

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REBEL CHIEF TO SURRENDER.

Gen. Pelar Deserted by the Insurgent Government.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 16.—A dispatch to the Herald from San Miguel, via Manila, says:

The insurgent General, Gregoris del Pilar, believes he has been deserted by the Filipino government, and desires to surrender if he can secure what he regards as honorable terms from the Americans.

The insurgent hospital near San Isidro is reported to be overwhelmed with wounded. General Pilar's main subsistence depot is five miles in front of Lawton.

The indignation of the natives has compelled the insurgent generals to countermand their orders to burn the towns as the yretreated. The American policy of not destroying property is creating a revulsion of feeling in our favor.

Natives are returning through the American lines to their own homes.

WILL FIGHT HARD TO CLOSE A SALOON.

The question of granting a saloon license to J. P. Morgan in the Falon Hotel at Thirteenth avenue and Twelfth street came up at the instance of Mr. Girard at the Council meeting last evening. Mr. Girard said that he noticed there were a number of ladies present who wished to protest against the license and he thought it would be well to have a date set so as to give them an opportunity of being heard.

Colonel T. F. Garrity stated that he had been called to represent Mr. Morgan in the matter at 7 o'clock and was not fully acquainted with the subject. He would like to have the matter continued.

H. M. Cameron said the party they had employed to represent the protestants was to go to San Diego soon, and he wanted the matter to be heard immediately.

Mr. Sc[illegible]after said it was only fair that both parties should be heard at the same time.

Mr. Upton moved to amend, owing to the presence of a number of lady protestants, to have the subject discussed at once.

Mr. Upton's amendment was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Chevalier, Stetson, Upton—3.

Nays—Barstow, Girard, Moese, Mott, Schaffer, Taylor, Rowe—6.

Absent—Klamm—1.

Mr. Girard's motion was then carried unanimously.

Later Mr. Girard said that the License Committee would meet next Wednesday night to consider the subject. He was always willing to accommodate the ladies.

Miss Thompson said she hoped that the members of the Council would protect the people of East Oakland from the proposed saloon.

R. Bray also spoke in favor of an early hearing and urged the Council to speedy action. He will have a chance to speak on the subject next Monday night.

Police Notes.

James Shanahan, a San Francisco man, who had been peddling spectacles without a license, was fined $50 or fifteen days in the Police Court.

Richard Hyland was given three days each on charges of drunkenness and using vulgar language. Hyland is the young man whom the police endeavored to send up for vagrancy soon after the city election and about whose case there developed considerable friction in certain of the city departments.

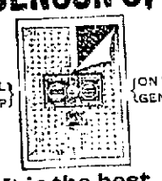
Mary Britton, who was charged by Fannie Newman with disturbing her peace, was found not guilty and discharged.

Dougherty Divorce Case

The suit of Annie Dougherty for divorce from P. J. Dougherty was referred to the Court Commissioner by Judge Ellsworth. The plaintiff was granted $22.50 a month alimony pending the trial. The grounds of the suit are desertion and cruelty. Mrs. Dougherty asks the custody of the two minor children.

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IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE CITY.

Is Your Property in Line for an Assessment?

The Routine Work Done by the City Council.

At the meeting of the Council last night petitions and communications were disposed of as follows:

From H. T. McInerney for a sewer on Fifth from Chestnut to Adeline streets. Street Committee.

From J. P. Beckett, to macadamize and sewer Thirty-eighth street from Market to West. Street Committee.

From Catherine Kennedy, protesting against the macadamizing of Railroad avenue, from Twenty-third avenue to Valdez street. Street committee.

From W. Marek and others for the sidewalking of the southwest and southeast corner of West and Lydia streets. Street Committee.

From James L. Fogg for a sewer on Thirteenth street from Brush to West. Street Committee.

From the Board of Works, accompanying bills amounting to $147 for repairing street. Referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee.

From Henry Weber of North Temescal regarding a sewer in that locality, together with a communication from the Board of Health urging immediate action upon the matter. Street Committee.

From M. T. Holcomb, et als., for hydrants in annexed district was referred to the Fire and Water Committee.

From the League of American Municipalities. Referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee.

From P. M. Watkins, et als., against a sidewalk on Willow street. Referred to the Street Committee.

From Laymance Real Estate Company in regard to sidewalking at corner West and Lydia streets. Referred to the Street Committee.

From J. P. Beckett for a sewer in Market street from Thirty-seventh to Thirty-eighth street. Referred to the Street Committee.

Protest against removal of a house at West and Center streets. Referred to Fire and Water Committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

Resolutions were disposed of as follows:

Giving permission to Wm. Heafey to construct an eight-inch sewer with "Y" branches on Howe street from John to Mather streets. Adopted.

Rejecting the bids of the remacadamizing of Webster street from Fourteenth street to the bridge.

Changing the grade of Fairmount avenue from Stanley Place to Santa Clara avenue. Adopted.

Instructing the City Attorney to prepare an ordinance prohibiting the maintenance of a side entrance, ladies entrance or family entrance to saloons. Adopted.

Instructing the Board of Public Works to report how many hydrants should be located in the annexed district. Indefinitely postponed.

Instructing the Board of Public Works to pump out a pool at Fifth and Cypress streets. Adopted.

Directing the City Clerk to readvertise for two days for the sewering of Grove street from Evoy to Fortieth streets.

Permitting W. G. Henshaw to erect a two-story building on Fourteenth street, 130 feet easterly from Clay street. Fire and Water Committee.

Authorizing the Board of Public Works to substitute bituminous rock for wood in the reconstruction of cross walks throughout the city on macadamized streets.

Authorizing L. Eisenbach to erect a boiler in the old Salvation Army building on Eighth street. Adopted.

Ordering paid the bills of street laborers, street sprinklers, sewer flushers and other city employes for May after May 31st. Adopted.

Adopting plans and specifications for the sewering of Fallon and Twelfth street. Adopted.

Ordering the Board of Public Works to direct the Oakland Transit Company to sprinkle walks on Eighth street. Adopted.

Granting permission for the sidewalking of Magnolia street between Thirtieth and Thirty-second streets. Street Committee.

Ordering paid the claim of the Contra Costa Water Company and the Oakland Water Company, amounting to $328.75. Adopted.

Rescinding resolutions Nos. 24,706 and 24,707 each appropriating $499 from the Park and Boulevard Fund for establishing the boundary lines of Lake Merritt. Adopted.

Ratifying claim of Hillhouse and Nerdon. Adopted.

Ordering paid claims of J. Murphy and C. Reder Jr., firemen, for salary while sick. Adopted.

Authorizing the City Justice to employ a janitor at $4 a month. Adopted.

Authorizing the City Justice to rent rooms for court at $15 a month. Adopted.

Appropriting $202.50 out of the park and boulevard fund to compensate J. B. McMoch for services rendered in surveying the lines of Lake Merritt, and directing the Auditor to draw his warrant for said amount. Adopted.

Granting permissoin to J. P. Beckett to sewer Silver street. Adopted.

Directing the Board of Works to hire man and cart to remove debris from parks. Indefinitely postponed.

Fixing wages of street sprinklers, amount of water to be used, etc. Adopted.

Rescinding resolutions of intention for sewering, curbing and macadamizing East Twenty-third street between Seventh and Eighth avenues, a majority protest having been filed. Adopted.

Authorizing the Board of Public Works to employ men and carts to remove debris from streets. Adopted.

Ordering remacadamizing of Webster street from Fourteenth street to the bridge across the estuary. Adopted.

Directing the Board of Public Works to use the lot on Twenty-fifth street as a corporation yard. Indefinitely postponed.

Authorizing the Board of Health to investigate the garbage matter. Adopted.

Directing the Board of Works to arrange for the changing of the offices in City Hall. Indefinitely postponed.

Directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for street lighting, with specifications therefor. Adopted.

Authorizing Board of Works to repair city wharves when necessary. Referred to the Wharves and Water Front Committee.

Ordering sidewalk on Filbert street from Twenty-first street to Twenty-eighth street. Adopted.

Ordering sidewalk on Twenty-second street from Adeline to Market street. Adoptd.

Ordering sewer in Fallow and Twelfth streets. Adopted.

Adopting plans and specifications for sidewalking Twenty-first and Twenty-second and Filbert streets. Adopted.

The ordinance appointing W. T. Hamilton a Commissioner vice J. O. Cardmon, resigned, for opening Adams street, was finally passed.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Liquor licenses were granted as follows: Charles Freeman, San Pablo avenue and Folsom street; R. Rademann, 855 Twenty-sixth street; L. Jurgenson, 1103 East Twelfth; Gabriel & Kroman, 853 Webster street; Joseph Cook, 1816 and 1818 Seventh street; J. P. Casabonne, 572 Seventh street; F. J. Thomas, 229 Third street; J. H. Klee, San Pablo avenue, near O'Neill street; C. Melisshich and J. Archus, 469 Eleventh street; W. Heyer, San Pablo avenue and Sixteenth street; J. T. Harrington, 915 Sventh street; M. Brown, 782 Twelfth street; W. Reicholg, 413 Fourteenth street; P. Pierling, 842 Broadway.

The Chief of Police reported that the cost of feeding prisoners in the City Jail during April was $121.71. Auditing and Finance Committee.

The Poundmaster's report for April showing receipts amounting to $77 was filed.

BUTTON-HOLING MEMBERS.

President Rowe showed early in the evening that he was annoyed by Councilmen paying little attention to the proceedings because of interruption by outsiders who wanted to talk with them inside the rail. He said that hereafter he would insist that when citizens wished to talk with members in the chambers, they would have to do so outside the bar.

Mr. Girard said that he had been at Los Angeles and paid a visit to the Council chamber. There was a sergeant-at-arms at the entrance to the bar who allowed no citizen to pass without permission of the President. He thought that the same practice should obtain here and that a policeman should stand at the bar each meeting night and allow non-members inside the bar only when the permission of the president was obtained.

President Rowe did not think it would be necessary to have a policeman assigned to duty but he hoped members would remember and as far as possible prevent a recurrence of the annoyance.

RESOLUTIONS OF INTENTION.

Resolutions of Intention were disposed of as follows:

For sewering Ninth street from Chester to Peralta street. Adopted.

To sidewalk East Twenty-third street between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenue. Indefinitely postponed.

Adjourned for two weeks.

ESTIMATED NEEDS OF STREET DEPARTMENT.

Superintendent of Streets Miller has filed his estimate of the funds required to operate his department of the city government during the next fiscal year. The figures allowed in the Auditor's estimate for last year are taken as a basis in nearly every case in the general department.

Five hundred dollars is asked for labor and carts to remove debris from the parks and gutters each month. The cost of sweeping the streets has been placed at $7,000, in place of $8,000, as figured last year. The salary of the Superintendent is $1,560 and that of the deputy $1,200 and of clerks $2,480.

For reconstruction $2,000 is asked for rebuilding the First street sewer at the foot of Kirkham street.

One-half the cost of reconstructing East Fourteenth street from Thirteenth avenue to Twenty-sixth avenue, including the cost of a bridge over Commerce street, is placed at $25,000.

For the reconstruction of four blocks on Telegraph avenue $30,000 is asked. A like amount is desired to pay half the cost of paving San Pablo avenue from Fourteenth street to Grove.

Although San Pablo avenue has been accepted by the city there is a doubt as to the legality of said acceptance.

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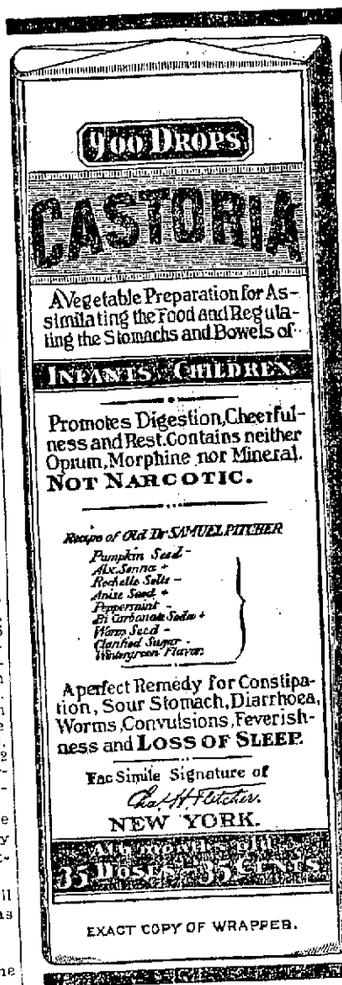
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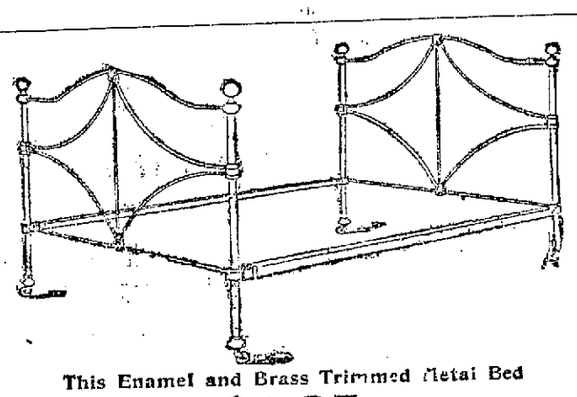
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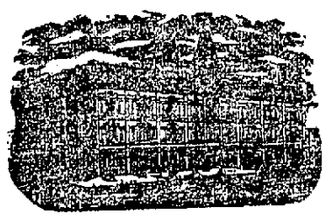
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The Tribune in the Country.

Patrons of the Tribune going out of town during the summer may have the paper mailed to their address without extra expense by notifying the business office, 417 Eighth street, or telephoning main 46.

TUESDAY.....MAY 16, 1899.

Visalia is going to indulge in a bull fight. If the residents are looking for a good way to give the town a setback they have struck the right idea.

The Filipino Congress has become a peace club now all right. It is a different sort of peace, though, to what the organization originally hoped to obtain.

The attention of the whole State is turned toward Oakland nowadays to see how well we handle the big Christian Endeavor Convention. This is the time, therefore, to make a record for ourselves, or rather to add to the one we already possess.

All the toys that Queen Victoria used in the days of her early girlhood have been set out in the apartments arranged for her in Kensington Palace on the occasion of her visit to London. They must be figuring that she has reached her second childhood.

Aguinaldo says that he will keep on fighting, all of which is of course merely a bluff in the hope that we will buy him off, as Spain did. The young disturber will find, though, that instead of gold, Uncle Sam uses lead in the settlement of affairs of that kind—the sort we get from the gun foundry.

Kern county is oiling up its boom machinery. They have struck some petroleum beds down that way, and if one can believe their local papers they will soon be in a position to compete with the Standard Oil Company. Nothing like claiming everything in sight, though, and more, too—that is the way many a business reputation is built up nowadays.

The proverb says: "It is an ill wind that blows nobody good." So that must be the classification for the gales we have been experiencing during the past few days, for it is impossible to conceive that any one has been benefited thereby. The fears that the winds have caused considerable damage to the fruit crop can, however, be dismissed, for reports show that the losses in that regard are but small.

It is well that we have commenced to arrange our plans for Memorial Day. It will be here two weeks from today, and the anniversary is invested with more solemnity than ever this year because of the thousands who during the past twelve months have been added to the long list of those who died for the Stars and Stripes. The tears of the widow and the cry of the orphan have been sadly refreshed in our memories of late.

The city officials are doing the right thing in hurrying along as fast as possible the details necessary to the resumption of work on Lake Merritt. Every day of delay means that much impediment to an improvement that will not only be an evidence of our enterprise but is a pronounced sanitary necessity. There is no longer any sectional jealousy extant to hinder the work, for the entire community is now anxious to see so important a step in our advancement perfected.

What may be termed a compromise on the lynching system in the South is contained in a bill that is to be introduced at the next session of the Georgia Legislature. It provides that in cases of persons accused of outrages a trial is to be held within five days after arrest, and if conviction follows a public hanging is to take place during the succeeding five days. By this means it is believed that it will be possible both to meet the requirements of the law and to satisfy the demands of the mobs. It is at least a step in the right direction, and in view of all the conditions down there it might be a good idea to give the proposed system a trial.

NOTES OF WARNING.

In view of the fact that vigorous efforts are being made to boom the Yukon region again, it is as well to sound a note of warning now and then, so that every one will be on guard. Surely nothing can be more forcible than the following extract from a personal letter sent from Dawson City to the editor of the Washington Star:

"I fear that many will invest capital in wild-cat schemes up here. Do not believe the plausible stories that are told. Specimens of rich quartz are sent out which are artificial. Gold is forced into crevices of the quartz, and even nuggets are made here from castings and molds. In fact, the jewelers here are getting fancy prices for nuggets which they make. Lies, trickery, immorality and every vice luxuriate in a mining camp, and Dawson is equal to the worst."

Admitting for the sake of argument that the pen picture is over-drawn and emanates from a disappointed prospector, it, taken in connection with many similar stories that have drifted down from the Arctic Zone during the past year or so, shows that the business conditions up there are not healthy, to say the least. The only man who can afford to go fortune hunting in the Dawson City region nowadays is the individual who has nothing to lose by abandoning any interests at this end.

THE NEW REGISTRAR.

The selection of Jacob Stoppacher as Registrar of Voters for San Francisco disposes of one of the choicest plums in the Governor's possession, for in addition to the fact that the place pays $3,600 a year, it carries a vast amount of inside patronage and influence. With so important an election at hand as the first one under the new charter, it can be understood why the Governor deliberated so long and carefully before making a choice, for the incumbent of that particular office is in a position where at times opportunities arise to become of great service to the party.

Jacob Stoppacher is well qualified for such a position. He has been Secretary of the Republican State Central Committee for many years, and has all the data regarding every voting precinct in California at his fingers' ends. His thorough practical knowledge therefore, makes him an ideal man for the place, and as he stands well in the party, the appointment will be received with satisfaction all along the Republican lines.

Personal and Social

Assistant District Attorney George Samuels has gone to Santa Cruz to attend the annual convention of the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias. He will remain a week.

Steward H. E. Borchert of the Receiving Hospital and wife took a trip to Sacramento last evening. Mrs. Borchert will spend some months in Sacramento. Mr. Borchert has returned to his duties.

Mrs. E. A. Heron is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dudley of Stockton.

J. A. Reid of Berkeley is spending a short vacation at his home in Stockton.

H. Meinecke was in Pinole last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Parker were in Elmira last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Parker.

Mrs. D. M. Conner was recently visiting friends in Haywards.

Miss Dorothy Miller and Miss Helen Wightman were recently visiting friends in Niles.

Miss George Samuels is visiting in Santa Cruz.

J. C. C. Corey was recently in Hanford.

W. J. Dingee was recently in Livermore.

Theodore Gier is building a dwelling on his ranch near Cresta Blanca.

A. Hunter of East Oakland was recently the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Leach of Walnut Creek.

Mrs. George Reed and Mrs. C. A. Wright were recently visiting friends in Walnut Creek.

Mrs. Lawhead was recently visiting in Woodland.

Mrs. H. S. Deane and daughter are guests of Mrs. N. Wyckoff of Woodland.

Mrs. Emily Hepp'n of Woodland has been visiting friends in Berkeley.

Miss Aggie Cahill of Newark is the guest of Mrs. Favor of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wade will spend the summer at Niles.

Mrs. M. Warrington of Newark has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hansen of this city.

Mrs. Hammer was recently visiting in Niles.

John Penlcott was recently visiting friends in Niles.

Attorney Bolton and wife have been visiting at Camp Meeker.

Mrs. Mowin was recently in Camp Meeker visiting friends.

Mrs. John Taylor has returned from a visit to friends in Santa Rosa.

G. M. Sholp was recently in Hanford.

Miss Sadie Harvey was recently the guest of Mrs. H. Larsen of Bennett Valley, near Santa Rosa.

Professor Fowler of the University of California has returned from a trip to Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Gilman are spending a month in Sacramento, guests of Mrs. Gilman's mother, Mrs. Wilsey.

Miss Marie Weber was recently in Sacramento, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Miller.

Melville Dozier of Berkeley is spending a few days in Santa Rosa.

Miss Callie A. Maynard of Napa is visiting in this city.

Mrs. T. S. Smith is spending the summer in Cloverdale, the guest of Mrs. H. C. Whitney.

F. N. Girard was recently in Colusa.

Charles E. Trower is spending a few days in Napa.

William Casey and daughter of San Andreas are visiting friends in this city and San Francisco.

H. G. Torrence leaves this week for the Klondike.

Police Captain Wilson and wife have returned from a week's visit to Byron Springs.

O. Sullivan was recently visiting friends in Davisville.

Mrs. Freight was recently in Hornitos.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKeen are among the recent arrivals at the Hotel, San Diego.

E. D. Williams was recently in Watsonville on business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Anderson are visiting Mrs. Anderson's mother, Mrs. M. Gottwals, near Yuba City.

William Tiner was recently in Auburn.

G. E. Dorn of Alameda and W. V. Morgan of this city took a recent trip to Salinas.

Mrs. Bakis and family are visiting in Chico.

Mrs. T. Pardee and children have returned from a visit to relatives in Sutter county.

Mrs. W. H. Sheasley and daughter have been visiting Mr. Sheasley in Bakersfield.

Dr. L. F. Herrick left this morning for Santa Cruz to attend the session of the Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias.

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BIKERS HAVE A FEW FRIENDS.

Anti-Sidewalk Ordinance Is Not Yet a Law.

Wheelmen Make a Strong Plea For Fair Play.

SIX THOUSAND BIKERS INTERESTED.

At the meeting of the City Council last night the bicycle ordinance provoked another discussion, and an amendment to it, was offered by Councilman Cuvellier, who sought to have the amendment passed to print. The move, however, was not successful, having received only seven votes on a motion to suspend the rules and have the measure go to print, a two-thirds vote (eight members) being required for that purpose. The amendment then went to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

The ordinance prohibiting the riding of bicycles on sidewalks was read. Mr. Mott moved that it be passed to print.

Mr. Cuvellier offered a substitute ordinance, stating that it allowed people to ride on wheels on the walks, required them to use brakes, a bell or whistle during the day and a bell and whistle and light at night, and to dismount or turn out when they met pedestrians. The minimum fine was $5.

The substitute was then read, and Mr. Cuvellier moved that it be passed to print.

Mr. Mott said that one ordinance compelled people to ride on the street, the other allowed them to ride with restrictions on the walk.

Mr. Cuvellier said he hoped the Council would give the bikers another chance and every reputable biker would be a committee of one to see that the ordinance was lived up to by unscrupulous riders.

The following was then read from J. M. Galloway:

"Our esteemed ex-Councilman, J. M. Bassett, on the evening of Friday last (May 12th) addressed an open letter to the Oakland Tribune, advocating the rights of the rider, contending that it has not as yet been proven that the bicycle is a vehicle. If such was the case, it could only be accorded the rights of vehicles.

"'On the other hand,' remarks Mr. Bassett, 'if the cycle is not a vehicle, but merely a means of locomotion, it has the same sidewalk privileges already conceded to the lame man's crutch or the invalid's tricycle.'

"Should the latter argument prove to be correct and legal, we pedestrians must submit, but will humbly suggest and request that your honorable body grant no greater privileges than those already accorded to the same lame man's crutch and invalid's tricycles, by limiting the bicycle to the same rate of speed of the two above mentioned means of locomotion, which never exceeds the walking pace. In this case there certainly could be no objection to the presence of the bicycle upon our sidewalks.

"The cause of the wheelman seems to have many advocates, while comparatively few take up the pedestrian's burden."

The communication was filed.

WHEELMEN PROTEST.

Then came the following:

"Whereas, The Reliance Club Wheelmen have observed with some interest the proposition to absolutely prohibit bicyclists riding on the sidewalks in this city, and, realizing that wheelmen should take an interest in such matters;

"Therefore, while this club recognizes the fact that the sidewalks belong to pedestrians yet, knowing that by reason of the peculiar conditions existing in Oakland it would be absolutely impossible to entirely prevent bicyclists riding on the sidewalks, and feeling that the law abiding portion of cyclists should not be debarred from the privilege simply because they are law abiding, be it

"Resolved, That some kind of a compromise ought to be made, by which those who do not wish to disobey the law should not be placed at a disadvantage.

"We therefore pray your honorable body to adopt some measure that will attain this end; and recommend the passage of the ordinance suggested by Mr. Seth Mann at the meeting of the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee, or some other measure that will attain the same end, namely, the privilege of riding on the sidewalks, with certain restrictions.

"E. B. JEROME, President."

The resolutions were filed.

Mr. Upton said he hoped the ordinance excluding bikers from the walks would be passed to print.

Mr. Taylor said a bicycle was a vehicle and should be excluded from the sidewalk. It was a dangerous practice to have bikes ridden on the walks.

Mr. Mott contended that the Cuvellier ordinance could not be passed to print without a suspension of the rules.

The Chair stated that he thought Cuvellier's ordinance was an amendment to the original ordinance.

The City Attorney said that the ordinance would have to be read a third time.

J. Lagues said that both ordinances had objectionable features. One could be objected to from a legal standpoint, because it was class legislation, as it exempted children from its provisions. He thought both ordinances ought to be referred to the City Attorney to determine whether or not they were legal.

Mr. Taylor said he did not think that it was class legislation because the ordinance allowed children to ride tricycles only.

Mr. Stetson asked City Attorney Dow if it had been decided that a bicycle was a vehicle.

Mr. Dow said he did not think such a decision had been made.

The Chair suggested that the ordinance might be referred back to the committee.

Mr. Harrow said that was his idea.

Mr. Schaffer said that if the Chief of Police had detailed a number of policemen who would cause bikers trouble by arresting them for riding on walks, the ordinances would not be violated.

Mr. Cuvellier's motion substituting his ordinance for that of the committee was then carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Barstow, Cuvellier, Girard, Meese, Schaffer, Stetson, Howe—7.
Nays—Mott, Taylor, Upton—3.
Absent—Kramm—1.

Mr. Cuvellier then moved that the ordinance be read a second time and passed to print. The motion failed to pass, the vote being the same as given above, two-thirds of the Council (or eight members) being required for the suspension of the rules.

Councilman Schaffer then introduced the following:

"Resolved, That the Chief of Police be and is hereby requested to detail ten policemen each afternoon between the hours of 2 and 5:30 P. M. to arrest violators of the ordinance regulating the use of bicycles."

The matter was referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Girard said if the Chief of Police would get the police catching burglars, it would be of a great deal more service than catching violators of the bicycle ordinance.

NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION MEETING

Superintendent of Schools McClymonds has been informed by the Southern Pacific Company that tickets for the convention of the National Educational Association, which takes place at Los Angeles July 11th to 14th inclusive, will be sold as follows to teachers and dependent members of teachers' families upon presentation of certificates signed by Superintendents of Schools:

From Oakland to Los Angeles, including a trip around the inside track and visits to Santa Monica and Long Beach and return by the coast line through Santa Barbara, tickets, including membership fee, will cost $26.50. These tickets, without the Southern California side trips, will cost $23. This includes side trips at Pacific Grove, Monterey and Santa Cruz, with stop-over.

Those going and returning by Bakersfield, with no side trips, can secure a round trip rate of $15. These tickets will be on sale during June, and will be good to return until August 15th.

Granted Alimony.

Mrs. Lizzie Hill has been granted $5 a week alimony pending the trial of her suit for divorce from Bertram Hill. The husband is a conductor on the Southern Pacific Railroad.

Administrator Sued.

Josiah Garrett has brought suit against James E. White for $250 alleged to be due from the estate of Pedar M. Stone, deceased. White is administrator on the estate.

Good Blood!

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AGE CAN BE HELD AT BAY.

Chicago Doctors Have Found an Elixir of Youth.

Do You Want to Live on the Earth Forever.

CHICAGO, May 15.—The Tribune says: A discovery which it is claimed solves the problem of circumventing old age has just been made public by Prof. Joseph R. Hawley and Alex C. Wiener of the Chicago Clinical School. The return to youth, it is asserted, is produced by hypodermic injections of the lymphatic fluid of animals, particularly young goats. The discovery was made a year ago, and subsequent secret demonstration of its efficiency is asserted.

The general theory of the discovery is that if the mineral deposits which accumulate in the bones in the process of life can be replaced with "life cells" contained in the lymphatic glands of goats, deterioration of bones will be prevented and elasticity and youth will be retained in the system much longer.

In one of his experiments at the Clinical School Dr. Hawley administered hypodermic injections of the fluid from the lymphatic glands of a goat to a dog known to be 11 years old. A diagnosis of a portion of the femur before the injection showed the bone contained large deposits of phosphate carbonate and soda. The dog was watched carefully for two months, during which frequent injections of the lymph compound were made. At the end of that time another diagnosis showed the larger part of the mineral deposits had been removed and the animal was as lively as a puppy.

A number of human beings, it is said, have been experimented on in Chicago in the same way and with the same results.

The apostles of the discovery do not claim that a man or woman thus charged with goat's "life cells" will live forever, but they say life will be prolonged, perhaps doubled.

HUGE ARMIES EUROPES CURSE.

Archbishop Ireland Talks About the Peace Congress at Hague.

NEW YORK, May 15.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Paris quotes Archbishop Ireland as saying:

"All civilized nations favor the underlying principles of the Hague conference.

"All intelligent men recognize that international differences should be settled upon an intellectual basis whenever possible.

"While I cannot anticipate the work of the delegates, and while it would ill become me to offer suggestions to such a distinguished intellectual body, I am free to say that there is no other work so well calculated to bring happiness to all nations as that with which they are confronted.

"The piling up of huge armies is the bane of Europe. Most countries have reached the straining point in this respect, and unless a remedy be applied speedily, irretrievable ruin stares them in the face. Civilization and Christianity are concurrent forces which could and should be made to stop the spectacle of nations arming front forces which could and should be made to stop the spectacle of nations arming themselves to the teeth for the purpose of destroying one another.

"Mind, I am not an advocate of peace at any price. There are times when war is unavoidable. Occasions may even arise when a war is as lawful, as righteous, as holy as any of the wars of the Crusades. When I was in Rome I found everybody in favor of peace."

COMFORT FOR BRIGGS' ENEMIES.

A Bishop Says They Can Take it Out in Howling.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 16.—A special to the Tribune from Providence, R. I., says: Right Rev. Thomas Clark, the venerable Presiding Bishop of the American House of Bishops, has been much annoyed by the controversy over the Briggs matter, which he considers most unfortunate. It has brought him a vast amount of correspondence and many telegrams in regard to a matter over which he thinks he has no control.

The Bishop said that he did not see what action he could take, if he was desirous of taking any. The ordination of a priest was entirely a matter of local control. There was a set method of procedure, and if it was carried out, and the candidate for orders commended by the standing committee, the Bishop of the diocese had no recourse except to ordain the candidate. He thought that Bishop Potter in this case had exercised wise discretion and judgment, and that his letter explaining his course was a very clear and convincing document.

In these views Bishop McVickar, the coadjutor, who was present, concurred. In answer to an inquiry whether resolutions might not be passed in regard to the matter, Bishop McVickar said: "They can howl if they desire, but that is all that it can amount to."

Bishop Clark has also been much disturbed over the Funston matter. The Rev. J. B. Funston of Portsmouth, Va., was to have been consecrated Bishop of the diocese of Boise, Idaho, but owing to the protest of eleven Bishops, the order for consecration has been canceled. A special meeting of the House of Bishops has been called to meet in St. Louis in October for the election of a Bishop for Japa. The Funston matter may be referred to that convention also by the presiding Bishop for action. No other business can come up except that for which the convention is called, which would prevent action by the House of Bishops, should such action be contemplated.

In answer to an inquiry as to his views of the modern tendency of clergymen of other denominations who get into trouble with their churches fleeing to the Episcopal Church for refuge, Bishop Clark said: "The Episcopal Church is very roomy. It contains men of the most divergent views on many subjects. As long as a man is able to subscribe to the creeds and is morally unimpeachable he is generally acceptable, and some of the men who have thus far come from other denominations have proved to be very valuable Episcopalian clergymen."

Bishop Clark is now 87 years of age and the oldest Bishop in his denomination in the world. He will not attend the St. Louis convention, owing to the great distance.

Interfered With Officer.

S. and A. Gomrus were arrested last evening by Deputy Constable Tonas on charges of resisting an officer. They each put up $10 bail and were released. Tonas was attempting to arrest a brother of the men when they interfered.

DOMINICA AND HAYTI AT PEACE.

Boundary Line Dispute Is Amicably Settled.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 16.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Porto Plata, Hayti, says: The Haytien government accepts the delimitation of frontier by President Heureux of Dominica, and the Presidents of both republics will meet in conference at Mole St. Nicholas.

President Heureux's visits through the country have calmed the people by his personal guarantee of the redemption of paper in July, and his popularity continues. The export duties have increased, raising $1,000 more revenue for the year. The Dominican Congress will declare Senor Jiminez an alien.

West Oakland Club.

The following notice has been sent out:

"Oakland, Cal., May 15, 1899.

"Dear Sir: The West Oakland Improvement Club will meet at their headquarters, 1756 Seventh street, Tuesday evening, May 16, 1899, at 8 o'clock. Annual election of officers and other important matters will come up for discussion. Yours truly,

"JOHN C. BULLOCK, President."

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Caps, from 9c to $2.25 each.
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White Goods plain White Swiss, 30 in., 15c, 25c, 35c and 45c per yd.
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Victoria Lawn, India Linon, Nainsook, Cambric and long cloth in all grades, from ordinary to the best.

Children's Reefer Jackets We have received another shipment of these popular garments for children from 2 to 12 years of age. We have them in many new and handsome styles, made of good material and in newest colorings. Prices **$1.15, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00** up to **$6.95**.

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New styles, excellent values, sizes, 4 to 10 years.
Check Nainsook Apron, embroidery trimmed, at..... 29c
White Lawn, trimmed with embroidery and lace, ruffle over shoulder, at..... 35c
Other styles of lawn and cross bar muslin, made in very pretty styles, embroidery and lace trimmings, at 50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00 and 1.50.

Children's Guimps, 2 to 10 yrs
Made of fine white lawn, trimmed with lace, embroidery and tucks, 35c to 85c.

A Summer Corset For **25c**. Made of good strong netting, shape is good, and for hot weather wear will give perfect satisfaction, sizes 19 to 26.

Ladies' Hosiery at 20c per pr.
Fast black, double soles, heels and toes, a regular 25c stocking, will sell all we have left of them (25 dozen) 3 pairs for **$1.00**.

New Parasols Just placed in stock a choice lot of the very newest styles in sun shades. Some are corded taffeta to match costumes of this prevailing style. See them. Prices from **$1.50** to **$6.00** each.

DR. LAW WILL NOT RESIGN.

Pastor Propose to Hold His Place Against Enemies in the Church.

There is trouble in the Church of the Advent in East Oakland of which Rev. V. Marshall Law is the rector. As a consequence, there may be a sundering of the ties which have bound pastor and people together for the past four years.

It seems that a feeling of dissatisfaction with the rector has arisen among some of the members of the church and that a similar feeling is entertained by the pastor as against some members of the flock. This sentiment on the part of members has impelled some of them to suggest to Dr. Law that he ought to resign the rectorship, but the suggestion has fallen on unheeding ears. Dr. Law says he will not resign, that he prefers to remain as rector and that the vestry has no right to ask him to resign and that he is rector as long as he chooses to stay.

The intimation that harmony would be restored in the church by his retirement was conveyed to Dr. Law several months ago, but was temporarily laid aside until the return home of J. J. Valentine who is senior warden of the church. Mr. Valentine has now been home for some time but the feeling of dissatisfaction between pastor and flock has not been removed. There are seven vestrymen, namely Valentine, Pope, Jones, Stadler, Read, Blake and Foote and of these it is said that all but two have expressed a desire to secure another rector in Dr. Law's place.

At the last meeting of the vestry the subject was discussed and a committee was appointed to talk over the matter with the doctor. Thus far, two conferences have been held, but no signs toward a settlement of the difficulty has been taken.

Several things have led up to this feeling of estrangement between the doctor and his people. Almost from the advent of the doctor, he has been the subject of newspaper discussion which has more or less kept himself and congregation in a peculiar light.

Soon after accepting the pastorate, the doctor discarded the general communion cup on the ground that it might easily become a disseminator of disease and substituted a silver cup from which wine might be sipped without compelling the communicant to touch the place with his or her lips at which the previous communicant had sipped.

The innovation created a furore among the Episcopal clergymen of San Francisco, who declared that Rev. Mr. Law was acting as a physician and not as a minister of the Lord and that he ought to go back to his medicines.

Then several controversies arose in the society and, more recently still Dr. Law was sued by a plumber for $2.90 for a bill which had been standing for a long time. The plumber was given judgment and the facts of the case were widely published in the press. At the same time it was shown that Dr. Law had been regularly in receipt of his monthly salary.

Vestryman Jones, in speaking of the case, says that it is clearly a reflection on the church that the pastor should be sued.

Speaking for himself Dr. Law says: out."

"I shall stay where I am," said Dr. Law. "The laws of our church do not permit of a vestry to demand a resignation of the rector. When properly elected he is a rector as long as he chooses to stay, and I choose to stay. There is a little trouble at present, perhaps due to myself. When I first came here I should have caused to be entered in my agreement with the vestry an understanding that I should have a month's holiday each year. This was not done and I contend that I am entitled now to three months' vacation. This unpleasantness is the beginning of the trouble over my vacation. I can easily understand why Dr. Jones is not entirely pleased with matters as they are—the position is easily explained. Dr. Jones is of the allopathetic school of medicine; I am a pronounced homeopath. This is all that need be said on that point. I have had a conference with some of the vestrymen about this vacation and I contend that I am entitled to be at liberty till the end of August at least, not having taken a vacation last year. The vestry does not agree with me and we are to meet again to try to straighten the matter out."

The result of the conference will be awaited with a great deal of interest.

FORCE OF HABIT.

"Have ou no mercy?" she shrieked.

"No," hissed the villainous drug clerk, "but," he murmured absent mindedly, "we have something just as good."—New York Journal.

WHAT PEOPLE HAVE TO SAY.

Editor Tribune: I wish the friend who mailed to me a copy of The Tribune" for May 6th had put his name upon the wrapper. It is pleasant to know who is doing us a favor; it saves us wondering and may save the credit going where it does not belong.

But my copy is marked,—marked at the article "Co-operation and Taxation," in which I am quoted—therefore I presume someone expects me to reply to it. I hope I have The Tribune's permission to do so.

Here is the quotation my able and respected opponent gives, which he labors to show is untrue: "The city does not support the farmer. The farmer is made to support the city. If, then we take off the taxes from the farmer and put them on the city, the city will recoup itself in profits from the farmer."

Let any person, who doubts that the above is true, go out on the country roads and see for himself. There he will meet, in the morning, the farmers' wagons coming in to the city laden with farm products and, later in the day, he will behold them returning with manufactured goods. The city has taken toll, both ways, namely on all the farmer sold and on everything he bought. Time was when the city was an aggregation of artizans as well as merchants and others and therefore created value, even as the farmers do. That is not so now; at least only a disappearing remnant of such a state of things prevails. The city is now merely a street, or a number of streets, of stores, residences of their owners with other accessories, and a government. It is not a producer and does not consume but a small fraction of the product that comes to it. This is readily observable in all small country towns and, with more trouble taken, seen in large cities.

Factories now, can be anywhere; that is, they can be placed where the raw material is and the operatives must settle down around them as best they can.

The farmer grows raw material and the factory makes it up. The city is a non-producer but a toll gatherer, a non-essential but still a convenience. It is the home of the money powers. It lives upon the farmers and manufacturers by facilitating the exchange of products. Being a solid aggregation its voting strength over-bears that of the farmers and, where interests clash the farmer is defeated. An example of this is frequently shown in the farmers' efforts to secure the use of the city streets, or open spaces, for free markets. The city almost invariably defeats the proposition. I can see clearly that the farmer supports the city but not that the city supports, only to a very limited extent, the farmer.

But the power, political and economic, is with the city and not with the farmer. In every city there is a certain scale of prices at which the merchants buy and sell. It is the state of equilibrium peculiar to the place and cannot be disturbed without exciting the indignation of the citizens. So that any attempt to lessen the burden of taxation to the farmer, by adding to that of the city merchant, will certainly be resented and must fail.

The "something wrong" which so many agree exists in our civilization, should be prevented at its source, not be permitted and protected by law and then remedied by taxation. The getting something for nothing, under whatsoever name it may be called, dividends, interest, profit or rent is a cumulative evil which will grow to such proportions as to make society top-heavy—then we get the revolution.

The exploitation of man, by which one man can absorb the product of thousands, making his thousands of dollars per day while others make from one to three dollars, is an abomination in the sight of lovers of justice; an imposition upon the employed and a danger to the permanence of republican institutions.

When it is seen that a woman, who can pass the whole of her life in Europe, or a child not yet come to years of discretion are among our greatest exploits, receiving millions per year, earned by the brain and muscle of our fellow workers, the evil shows up most impudently.

This exploitation of men, women and children, otherwise known as wage slavery, must be stopped and the sooner the easier.

There is but one political party that will do this—the Socialist Labor Party—long pledged to this very thing. Republicans will not do it and we do not expect it from them. The Democrats will not because there are as many exploiters in their ranks as in those of the Republicans but it stands with the Democrats to propose measures tending to check exploitation so that they may capture the labor vote and thus ride into power. Then they will tell us that political platforms are only to catch votes.

If we would be free we must free ourselves and not expect a trust-owned or even a middle class party, to do it. Therefore the workers should unite in their own party; then they will have a majority and will run the government. Then they will not be driven to desperation; they will not destroy property and the guns will not be turned upon them. Then shall no millionaire revel upon the fruits of their sweat or his daughter subsidize an Italian prince. Every man shall have what he himself earns and all an equal opportunity.

The feudal lords of France kept on as our capitalists are now doing namely, taking more and still more of the product of the workers. The people bore it to a degree hardly to be credited until great numbers are starved; as it seems we intend to do before we will drop all extravagance issues and unite in our own labor party and strike as one man, in a constitutional manner at the ballot box. Misery will drive where argument will not lead. The Single Tax propaganda has lighted many to Socialism among them.

JOHN ROBERTSON.

After the Rev. Andrews.

Oakland, Cal., May 12 1899.

Editor Tribune—Dear Sir: With reluctance I am forced to call your attention to the sermon of Reverend Andrews published in the Oakland Times May 1, 1899 which in part is a slander upon the laws of our State. It sounds and reads as if it had been previously prepared pro nenata pro mimoria. Kindly let me quote the latter clause of the gentleman's remarks.

"It is to be feared that in some communities the moral sensibilities of the people have become so blunted that the grossest crimes excite no horror. To this moral lethargy a disposition upon the part of the people to take the law into their own hands is far preferable. I will be pardoned by saying that our own State of California seems to have fallen well nigh to this depth."

This is false in the face of the recent conviction and punishing of various criminals. I feel the keen sting of the assertion and the falsity of the assertion is absurd.

It would be a good idea if the gentleman would return to his Christian State, and there abide, until he is called off the earth,—to rest I hope. I feel it is a waste of time for the reverend gentleman to try to convince the Californian that decorating cabinets with souvenirs from the anatomy of the American negro is rigat and Christian.

I begin to think that the emancipation of the American negro or slave is like the mercy of Caesar to the early Christian. He repealed the law of capital punishment; for one of torture viz: maintaining the body ad libitum. We treat the negro of the South in like manner figuratively speaking then expect him to be a patriotic citizen. Yours truly,

C. P. DUNCAN,
1726 Filbert street.

Bunker Hill

"Editor Tribune: The Executive Committee, one hundred and twenty-fourth anniversary of Wednesday evening, May 10th, at Pioneer Building.

From the reports of the various committees it is evident that the arrangements are nearly completed for the celebration at Sunset Park on the 17th of June next, and that those who go will not only have a literary and musical program of the highest character provided for their entertainment, but a royally good time in many other ways, as well as a delightful day on one of the most picturesque country spots. As two bands accompany the excursion there need be no end either to the music or the dancing—if the dancers so will—until the departure of the guests for home.

Letters were read from the Governor, Major Bromley of Oakland and others assuring the committee of their hearty support, and the Transportation Committee reported that the railroad officials were already using their influence to prevent the annoying presence of gamblers in the vicinity of the grounds.

Arrangements have also been made to have an excellent lunch provided on the grounds for the small sum of twenty-five cents. Tickets as heretofore stated, will be only one dollar for the round trip, and two trains will leave the foot of Market street on the morning of the 17th at 7:45 and 8:45, returning about 5 P. M.

GEORGE W. CASWELL,
Secretary.

COUNT RUINED BY RACE TRACK.

Austria's Ex-Premier Tries to Commit Suicide.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, May 16.—Special dispatches from Vienna say it is reported there that Count Badini, the former Prime Minister of Austria recently tried to commit suicide on account of losses sustained on the race course.

Count Badini, who formed a Cabinet in 1895, and whose Ministry resigned on November 28, 1897, comes of an Italian family, which migrated into Poland in the sixteenth century and succeeded in obtaining large estates. After graduating from the Crakow University, Badini entered the service of the state and rose rapidly in official life. The fortune of the former Premier has been estimated at $2 500,000.

WHITE OFF FOR THE HAGUE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BERLIN, May 16.—United States Embassador Andrew D. White, chief representative of the United States at the disarmament conference, which is to open at The Hague on Thursday afternoon started for the Netherlands this morning, accompanied by Frederick W. Holls of New York Secretary of the United States delegation, and the Swiss and Roumanian Ministers, both of whom are delegates to the conference. The families of the delegates do not accompany them. Mr. White has planned to return to Berlin early in June.

MEADE BADLY DAMAGED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PONCE, Island of Porto Rico, May 16.—The United States transport Meade, while leaving this port at midnight for New York with the Nineteenth Infantry on board struck a sunken wreck outside the harbor, which caused a serious leak and necessitated her return. Divers are now at work examining the extent of the damage done to the steamer.

AFTER A BIG ESTATE

CHICAGO, May 16.—Proceedings were begun in the Superior Court today by Mrs. Morscharrosch, wife of a Montana miner, to prove her identity as the daughter of Henry W. Martin, the rich Chicagoan, who died intestate last May. It is claimed by Mrs. Morscharrosch that her mother, who was a servant girl at the Clifton Hotel, was secretly married to Mr. Martin twenty-seven years ago. The estate is valued at $400,000.

The Celtic Arrives.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, May 16.—Arrived: Celtic from Liverpool.

MEETING OF REFORMERS IN KANSAS CITY.

The Populist Leaders Outline a New Policy.

Declare the Blunder of Bryanism Must Not be Repeated.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 16.—The seventh annual meeting of the National Reform Press Association and the national reorganization of the Peoples party, with something under a hundred delegates present, convened here today. After deciding on a policy for 1900 the delegates will start for Colorado Wednesday evening on a junket. Wharton Barker of Philadelphia, who is to all practical views the candidate for President, is supported by his colleague, Rodman Barker.

The following committeemen are here: J. A. Adams, J. H. Wharton, Ross Winn, H. F. Jones and Milton Park, Texas; J. H. Parker, Kentucky; John Rannells, J. E. Clyde, Emmett Remseter and J. A. Reynolds, Missouri; W. L. Peet and M. A. Rodenhamer, Georgia; James M. Perriss, Illinois; W. S. Morgan, Lucien Stephen, Nebraska; John M. Burton, J. S. Yeeman and Abe Steinberge, Kansas; L. H. Weller and C. A. Weeks, Iowa, and Frank Burkett, Mississippi.

President Burkett's annual address evoked considerable applause.

"To the mistaken policy which led to the disastrous results of the campaign of 1896," said he, "we may trace the cause of all the contention and want of harmony which has existed in reform ranks since that unfortunate hour, when a majority of our representatives consented to go outside the party to find a candidate for President.

"Surely no one, not a Republican or a Democrat at heart, will contend that the campaign of 1896 should be duplicated."

Burkett aimed a shot at the trusts, and on expansion said:

"Populism, while refusing to lower the flag in the presence of any enemy on earth, would strike from the limbs of American working men the shackles of industrial slavery before they engage to emancipate the mongrel races of strange and foreign lands."

After a brief address by Ignatius Donnelly and the appointment of the usual committees, a recess was taken.

TWO ENTERTAINMENTS AT RELIANCE CLUB.

Tomorrow evening the Reliance Club will give the first ladies' night under the direction of the new board directors. Charles Clay Jr. has the affair in hand and his close association with the musical world has made it possible to arrange a program of exceptional attractiveness. There will be selections by Miss G. Burnett, contralto, H. H. Lawrence Jr., baritone, the Californian Mandolin and Guitar Club and the Reliance Orchestra.

The gentlemen will have their entertainment Friday night when two try-outs and two ten-round contests decisions will be the attraction.

The first ten-round go will be between Teddy Mercer and Henry Martin both of this city. Both are good preliminary boxers and should put up an interesting bout.

The event of the evening will be between Phil Green of this city and Joe Cotton (colored) of Los Angeles at 158 pounds. This bids fair to be one of the hottest contests of the season. Green has been in eight goes before this club winning each time. Since his release from the army he has won several clever matches and is a wonderfully improved boxer.

Cotton is credited with being a clever boxer and will doubtless make it exceedingly interesting for the soldier boy. Cotton's manager has so much confidence in his man that he has bet $100 that Green will be out before the tenth round. The men are to box for a purse of $200.

SKETCH CLUB WILL GIVE EXHIBITION.

An art loan exhibition will be given under the auspices of the Oakland Sketch Club, and for its benefit, in the parlors of the Unitarian Church, beginning on the evening of May 22d, and continuing day and evening on May 23d and 24th. No pains have been spared to make this occasion one of note in the aesthetic history of the city. There will be pictures in color and in black and white, by European and eminent American artists. Some fine etchings and prints will also be displayed. It is the ambition on the part of the Sketch Club to offer to the public view the largest and choicest collection of works of art ever exhibited in Oakland. Many prominent citizens have kindly responded to the invitation of the Sketch Club, and have consented to exhibit valuable works which the general public have never before had the opportunity to see. Artists, such as Keith, the Partingtons, Richard and Gertrude, Peano, Thomas Hill, Neilson and Hansen, have stripped their studios for the purposes of this exhibition. The officers of the Sketch Club are Miss De Neale Morgan President; Miss Annie Root, Secretary; W. H. Collins, Treasurer; Executive Committee, with the above, F. E. Evans and H. D. Grimke.

BEECHAM'S PILLS cure sick headache.

OLILEIRA WILL SERVE THREE YEARS

Frank Oliveira, convicted of robbing Joseph Nevis of Pleasanton, was sentenced by Judge Greene yesterday to serve three years in the Penitentiary. Attorney Sawyer attempted to have the verdict of guilty set aside on the ground of the complaint having been defective. The court overruled the motion.

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Take the May issue, for instance, (now for sale on the news stands).

The front page by A. B. Wenzel is beautiful

There are 16 pages in color.

There are four inserts in color by Howard Cort Hamilton Hyde, Frank Hopkinson, and a full page portrait of Rudyard Kipling. There is a full page, in color, of the $30,000 00 Lawson Pink.

There are eight magnificent full pages of pictures of prominent American Actresses printed in an entirely new color scheme.

There is a great story of the Cuban war entitled: "The Hero of Moron," by Charles Edward Barns, and a number of short stories, all fully illustrated

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OREGON'S GUNNER WILL TRY LIFE AGAIN.

Richard Devine, who was gunner's mate on the Oregon, and who attempted suicide yesterday morning by taking opium has fully recovered today. He says he would be satisfied to live if he could find work which he was able to do. Since his discharge from the navy as a disabled seaman he has been unable to do hard work. Consequently he finds it difficult to earn a living.

The following letter, addressed to the Coroner of Alameda county, was found in Devine's pocket:

"To the Coroner's Jury: Please make no fuss over this corpse, but turn it over to the medical society for scientific purposes. It is a case of "From dust thou came and to dust returneth." Rum, women, and lots of it has aged me twenty years before my time. I am only thirty-six years of age now. What would I have been later on? Well, enough said. I am not a lady's man in appearance, yet from a gift of flattery I have used it at too rapid a speed. Adios. R. DEVINE.

"Bury me in my uniform."

After he had taken the drug, Devine attempted to portray his sensations on paper. The following was the result:

"What a curious sensation this is. The only bad part of it is that while the drug is at work I feel as though I had the seven-year itch.

"I must have found the tree of life.

"Oh, my stomach."

Then followed a few unintelligible scratches.

TEACHERS ELECT NEW DIRECTORS.

The Alameda County Teachers' Association has elected the following Board of Directors: Alice H. Cohen, Sarah T. French, Elizabeth M. Sherman, Alice C. Paris, Lucy A. Walker, Emily H. Hilton, John W. Young. At the close of the meeting the directors met and elected the following officers: President, Alice H. Cohen; vice president, Sarah T. French; secretary, Alice C. Paris; financial secretary, Lucy A. Walker; treasurer, Elizabeth M. Sherman.

There is $1,117.50 in the annuity fund. There are about 200 subscribers. A vote of thanks has been extended to the Legislative Committee for its services.

Insolvent Mechanic.

Peter Litter has applied to the United States District Court to be declared an insolvent debtor. His liabilities are $1,288.05. His assets are valued at $150. Litter is a mechanic.

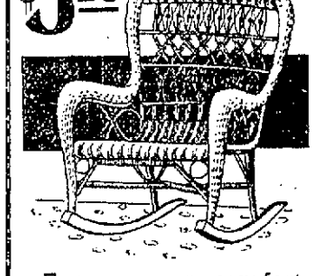
Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Osgood Bros., cor. Seventh and Broadway. Only 50 cents and $1.00; every bottle guaranteed.

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OAKLAND.

MISS M. E. BURDICK'S Notion Store, P. O. building, 2962 Telegraph avenue.

GARRETT & TAGGART'S Drug Store, junction of San Pablo avenue and Fourteenth street.

JACKSON'S Pharmacy, 1778 Seventh street, West Oakland.

A. L. LEBER'S Drug and Stationery Store, 532-934 Seventh street.

VOICE & KOERTNER'S Grocery, Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.

WENTWORTH'S Drug Store, corner of Thirteenth avenue and Fourteenth street, East Oakland.

L. J. WESTLAKE'S Emeryville Pharmacy, San Pablo and Park avenues.

GENERAL NOTICES.

BABY BUGGIES from $3.75 up. Jones Bazar Co., 13th and Clay sts.

VEN EMAN'S Hair Tonic prevents hair from falling out; try it; for sale at Fashion Hair Store, 459 Thirteenth. b

TWENTY-TWO ROOMS FURNITURE removed to our store for convenience of sale; bargains in this lot of goods; sale positive; come early and secure your choice. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st., cor. Franklin st.

FOR A COOL DRINK of any kind, with a fine lunch, go to the California Wine House, 851 Washington, cor. 7th. Private apartments for lunches. Try our 7-year-old claret, 50c per gallon. Christensen & Shaw, prop'rs. b

NO EXCUSE FOR BALD HEADS—Free treatment. The greatest scalp medicine in use today. Ladies and gentlemen cordially invited. Terms reasonable. B. Woodbury & Co., 1116 Washington st., Oakland. Hair dressing; shampooing. b

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BOSTON WATER PURIFIER—Drink pure, clear, crystal water. Absolutely free from all germs. This is not a strainer, but a water purifier. Does all we claim for it. For sale by the Oakland Filter Co., 411 Fourteenth st.

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CARPET CLEANING and Renovating Works, 19th st., near Tel. ave.; carpets taken up, cleaned, relaid; all work guaranteed. P. Mathewson, prop'r. Residence cor. 2d ave. and East 11th st. b

LEDERER'S Popular Hair Dressing Parlors are filled with pleased people; prices 25c; hair rolls, 10c; longest ear to ear only 30c; great sale of wigs, half price. G. LEDERER, 123 Stockton.

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TOM SCOTT, "General Law," r'ms 15-16, 906 Broadway; take elevator.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Sunday evening, between Broadway and Jefferson, a black feather boa. Suitable reward leave this office.

LOST—May 15th, a wire hair Scotch terrier wearing metal tag number 758. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning the same to home of A. A. Moore, corner of Sixth ave. and East Twentieth st.

BABY BUGGIES from $3.75 up. Jones Bazar Co., 13th and Clay sts.

LOST—A coal black dog; answers to name of "Monk"; tag No. 711. Finder please return to Henry A. Butters, Hillside av., Piedmont; suitable reward. r

LOST—Returning from Berkeley on Telegraph avenue a light overcoat. Card in pocket. Return to Dr. Shimrick, 881 10th st. Suitable reward. r

LOST—Open faced gold watch and cross fob; Broadway, Eighth or Washington st.; a keepsake. Return to 568 Seventeenth st.

LOST OR STRAYED—Scotch collie pup. Finder kindly return to 154 Lake st., and receive suitable reward. r

LOST—On Monday evening, coming from San Francisco to Oakland, a ladies' rough brown leather purse containing money and papers. Leave at 1267 Eighth st., Oakland; reward. r

LOST—Strayed from East Nineteenth st. and Twelfth ave., East Oakland, on Thursday afternoon, May 4th, a small yellow shaggy dog (aged); answers to name of "Bud." Kindly return to 1374 Twelfth ave. and receive reward. r

LOST—April 24th, pair of glasses on San Pablo avenue, between Thirteenth and Twenty-fourth streets. Return to 459 Thirteenth street and receive reward.

LOST—On April 22, 1899, between Twenty-second and Telegraph ave. and Eighth and Broadway, a package of papers containing statement in figures and signed Ed Weidler. Finder can receive reward for same at 453 Eighth st., Oakland. r

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LARGE sunny furnished and unfurnished rooms at 821 Broadway, Wilcox block. Mrs. W. R. Brown, proprietress.

CHANGED HANDS—967 and 973 Washington street; strictly respectable; dining rooms newly furnished; also housekeeping rooms; gas, running water. n

SUNNY housekeeping rooms; also offices and single rooms, at 1055 Washington. n

A NICE, sunny furnished room to rent; 1303 Castro street, corner 14th; with or without board. n

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FOR SALE—New, modern 5-room house, large lot, fine location; street work all done; bargain. Apply at 685 33d st. morning or evening.

$3,750—Fine new 8-room house, laundry, bath; nickel-plated plumbing, porcelain tub; plate-glass windows; finished in white wood throughout; walls beautifully tinted; dining room, lower and upper hall wainscoted; lot on main thoroughfare of Oakland; worth $4,750—$600—Fine lot on Twelfth avenue; 50x125. Geo. B. M. Gray, 451 Ninth st. u

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$5,000—8 room modern residence; garret finished; high cement basement; furnace; good barn; lot 45x112; Knox ave., sunny side, bet. Telegraph and Grove; cost $6,500 three years ago; must be sold; party going East; will sell on easy terms, or exchange for San Francisco property. Call or address A. K. Percival & Co., 630 Market st., S. F. uv

$1,650—TWO STORY BUILDING (store and flat of 4 rooms and bath), corner Myrtle ave. and Lowell st., near Cal. & Nevada R. R., two blocks from San Pablo ave.; lot 72x85; terms reasonable. W. P. Ryan, 960 Seventh. uv

FOR SALE—$3,500—A 7 room modern cottage, handsomely furnished, with a large corner lot; within easy distance to station, and not far from electric car line. For particulars apply to Albert Schmidt, 1122 Thirteenth ave., East Oakland.

TO LET—HOUSES UNFURNISHED

TO LEASE unfurnished for one year; nine room modern house; Linda Vista Terrace. Apply 124 Bayo Vista ave. 1

FOR RENT—A fine house of six rooms; all modern improvements; partly furnished or unfurnished; nice location; rent reasonable; references required. For particulars apply at 867 Washington st., Oakland. 1

$18—6 r. modern cottage; central.
$20—7 r. new colonial; 2411 Grove.
$12.50—Modern 6 r. flat; San Pablo ave.
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$50—Elegant colonial, 9 r.; Orchard st.
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NEWLY renovated offices; rent reasonable; electric elevator. Abrahamson building, corner Washington and Thirteenth sts. k

FOR RENT—Store suitable for dressmaking; three living rooms; rent reasonable. W. P. Ryan, 960 Seventh st. k

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FOR RENT—Large, sunny offices on Broadway, suitable for doctors. Central Block, 1068 Broadway. k

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GRAND ARMY HALL to let. Apply to C. Jurgens, 1116 Broadway.

HOUSE WANTED.

WANTED—House and lot; house of three or four rooms; in East Oakland. Address M. C. H., Newland House, room 6, corner Seventh and Washington sts.; no agents. j

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GROCERY STORE of twenty years' standing, doing a good business, will sell out cheap on account of ill health. Apply at the Tribune office. x

If you want a few pieces of nice, clean, second-hand furniture at bed-rock prices, now is the time to get them. We buy cheap and sell cheap. Some new goods, camp chairs, cots, screens and meat safes. Call around anyway. 838 San Pablo ave., near 23rd street. AUSTIN'S.

GOOD old horse for sale, $12. Also small spring wagon and harness. San Leandro road and Nutley ave shoe shop. x

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TWENTY-TWO ROOMS FURNITURE and Household Goods, from 807 and 811 Washington st., by order of court, must be sold; removed to our store for convenience of sale; the above goods are neat and clean; sale daily until all is sold out. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st., cor. Franklin st.

LARGE Music Box, cheap; mahogany bureau, at Ye Olde Curiosite Shoppe, 752 Seventh. x

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A LOT of bedroom and kitchen furniture at reduced prices; also lot of garden tools; must be sold; we are moving. Call before 6 P. M., No. 825 San Pablo ave., near Twenty-third st. x

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ALL KINDS of slot machines at the Edison Phonograph Parlors, 470 7th st. x

SAFES, new and second hand; all sizes. The Waltz Safe, 109-111 Market street, San Francisco. x

KINDLING (box wood) 7 sks $1; load $1.75. Eagle Box Factory, 611 Market st. x

ENGINE FOR SALE—Eight horse power gas or gasoline engine; a bargain. Can be seen at corner Second and Castro streets. x

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ANY KIND of second hand goods, furniture, tools or anything; we buy, sell and trade. 825 San Pablo ave., corner Twenty-third st. x

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GOOD paying lodging house; 41 rooms; central; will bear investigation; bargain; reason for selling, owner going away. 1156 Broadway. Call bet. 10 and 2. w

LODGING HOUSE for sale cheap for cash, on account of owner's departure; new furniture; every room occupied and table boarders; a good paying business. For particulars see or address A. J. Tait, 1526 Seventh st. w

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SURE, safe, speedy cure for all female diseases; if you are sick or discouraged call on the doctor and state your case before going elsewhere; you will find in her a true friend; home for patients; every comfort, convenience of hospital and privacy of home; consultation free; absolutely confidential; satisfaction guaranteed, without injuring health, or money refunded. Mrs. Dr. Gwyer, 510 Eddy st., San Francisco.

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CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS

COTTON BROS. & CO., bridge builders and general contractors, engineers and builders of all kinds of bridge work; pile driving and wharf building. 475½ Tenth st., Oakland; telephone 611.

ROOMS AND BOARDING

WANTED—One or two children to board; mother's care given; terms reasonable. Apply 555 Nineteenth st. q

HORSESHOER.

EDMUND GATES — Horse-shoer and blacksmith, San Leandro road, cor. High st.; horses properly shod, $1.25; plain shoeing, $1; special attention paid to horses that wear out hind shoes too rapidly; light tire setting, 50c each; new steel buggy tires, per set, $5; all kinds of jobbing and repairing at reasonable rates.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

A FIRST-CLASS dressmaker would like a few more engagements by the day. Price, $1.50. Address Dressmaker, 1260 Franklin street.

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A LADY would like to assist in housework in exchange for room rent. Address A. L. D., box 3, Tribune office. h

BEST referenced help introduced promptly at Mrs. Sanford's Fidelity Employment Bureau, 954 Broadway, room 3, telephone green 528. e

RELIABLE HELP furnished by the Scandinavian Employment office, 157 Thirteenth street, rooms 50 and 51 Canning building. Phone Red 3375.

SITUATION WANTED by a middle aged woman, with small girl, as housekeeper or to assist in housework. 616 Broadway. h

A REFINED, educated, middle aged widow; no ties; wants a good home; small wages; in exchange for companionship and to assist invalid or lonely person. Or would take a child to board. Address F. W., Box 2, Tribune. h

WANTED—By two Swedish girls, one as cook, $25, the other as second girl or light housework $20. 565 Tenth st. h

A RELIABLE woman wants work by the day. Please call at 372 Seventh st. h

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NEWS NOTES FROM THE SUPERIOR COURT.

B. C. Hawes has been granted letters of administration on the estate of Georgiana Black, deceased.

The will of Mary Agnes Dunlea, deceased, has been admitted to probate.

John Thompson has applied for letters of guardianship of Walter Thompson Kellogg, a minor.

James Stanley, administrator on the estate of W. W. Nichols, deceased, has been cited to appear in court and show cause why he has not paid the claims of J. S. Capron against the estate. The citation was issued on petition of Mrs. Marion and Mrs. H. Kearney.

Daniel McCarthy has been appointed executor of the will of Mary Agnes Dunlea, deceased.

The will of J. T. Carothers, deceased, has been admitted to probate.

Mary M. McAnslon has been appointed administratrix on the estate of Mary M. McAnslon, deceased.

The final account of the estate of James Sellick, deceased, has been settled.

Eliza A. Miller has been authorized to sell the personal property belonging to the estate of James H. Miller, deceased.

The final account of the estate of Isaac Campbell, deceased, has been approved.

The estate of Margaret Keyes, deceased, has been appraised at $1,350.

Charles E. Cornell, J. L. Barker and George W. Kelley have been appointed to appraise the estate of Ernst A. Hoppe, a minor.

Dennis Welch has been granted letters of administration on the estate of Maggie Welch, deceased.

A decree of partial distribution has been handed down in the estate of Kate L. Applegate, deceased.

Katherine M. Wertz has been granted letters of guardianship of Carolyn Frederick W. and Bertel Klee, minors.

H. W. Bray, R. B. Bain and George Hummer have been appointed to appraise the estate of John H. T. Albright, deceased.

Mrs. Phoebe Rockwell has been granted a family allowance of $60 a month from the estate of Ferry Rockwell Jr., deceased, for the maintenance of herself and minor son.

The first annual account of W. H. Waste, administrator on the estate of U. H., Louis T. and Henry G. Miller, minors, has been ordered settled.

Nellie Louise Tweedie has been appointed guardian of the persons and estates of Marion M., Herbert W., Mina V. and Walter E. Tweedie, minors.

G. Frank Albright has been granted letters of administration on the estate of John H. T. Albright, deceased.

Maria Luiza Rogers has applied for permission to sell the personal property of the estate of Joseph Rogers, deceased.

Eva B. Anderson has been appointed administratrix on the estate of Peter Anderson, deceased.

The estate of William Newton Weeks, deceased, has been appraised at $7,719.

An amended complaint has been filed in the action of William Wiegman against George E. Beebe, Fred and D. Wiegman. The action is brought to recover an interest in a store in Alvarado.

Catherine Hoogar has filed an objection to the confirmation of the sale of a homestead by the executors of the estate of her deceased husband, Philip Hoogar. She claims that the homestead was her separate property and that it was illegally sold.

Fun at the Picnic.

One of the most enjoyable picnics of the season was that of the "Jolly Four," held at San Lorenzo Grove yesterday. A large crowd attended and participated in the games and dancing, etc.

The main feature of the event was a prize cake walk for which some valuable trophies were offered. Leslie McKillican was awarded the first prize, the second went to True Boardman and the third to Mr. Schleuter. Frank Peretti and Miss McIvey gave a most creditable exhibition, and many considered them entitled to the first prize.

Major Waters officiated as mascot and was awarded a leather medal.

Lovers of Liberty.

The Oakland School of Oratory will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at 522 Thirteenth street, between Washington and Clay streets. The subject for the evening is "American Expansion." All lovers of liberty are cordially invited to attend and participate in the discussion. The platform is free.

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George W. Baker, the well known attorney has just won a remarkable criminal case for his client. Mr. Baker is receiving the congratulations of his friends.

The People vs. Fred Foster. One of the most sensational legal struggles which has occurred around the bay of San Francisco for many a month, is the one which appears in the above title, but that the people should appear as the complainant in the light of the final result, is, to say the least, a gross imposition upon the commonwealth. The decision of Judge Lawlor of the Superior Court of San Francisco yesterday, in the matter of Fred Foster, upon habeas corpus plainly shows that Foster has been the victim of a cruel conspiracy upon the part of designing and malicious persons, for the purpose of plunder, but which designs have met in this decision a most ignominious defeat.

On the night of March 31st Fred Foster, the owner of a racing stable at the Oakland track, shipped his horses to Chicago, and together with his wife, took passage on the same train. When about to board the train at the Sixteenth-street depot he was arrested by an Emeryville officer on a charge of grand larceny, preferred by A. Howard, who alleged in the complaint, that Foster had stolen and converted two of his horses, named Yellow Tail and Sam McKever. Foster was dragged into court and placed under $10,000 bonds to appear and meet the charge. He promptly furnished the bond. He appeared as required but the prosecuting witness, A. Howard, failed to materialize and the case was dismissed. In the meantime another complaint was filed before Judge Quinn in Oakland by the same accuser, charging Foster with the crime of embezzlement of the same horses, and his bail was fixed at $20,000. This bail was likewise furnished at once, and the cause called for trial, but no prosecutor appeared, and, like the case in Emeryville, was dismissed by the court; not, however, before the complainant, A. Howard, had served a warrant from Judge Conlon's court in San Francisco charging Foster with the crime of obtaining from him (Howard) the sum of $10,000 by false and fraudulent pretenses. This complaint was lodged in an atmosphere where the prosecuting witness belived Foster was at his mercy, and in that respect he was not mistaken, for after a protracted examination of nearly three weeks, Foster was held to answer before the Superior Court, with bonds fixed at $20,000. Foster, by his attorneys, George W. Baker and A. L. Frick, immediately sued out a writ of habeas corpus, before the presiding judge of said Superior Court, and the hearing was assigned to Hon. Wm. P. Lawlor of Department 9 for haering.

The grounds upon which the writ was demanded, as set forth in the petition, were that the complaint did not state a public offense, and that the evidence taken before the committing magistrate clearly showed that he, Foster, was held without probable cause.

These two propositions were elaborately argued by counsel for the petitioner and the people, and the case was taken under advisement by his Hon. Judge Lawlor, who yesterday in a very elaborate and learned opinion which is too lengthy for publication, sustains the contention of Foster the petitioner, upon both propositions contained in his application. The Judge points out with conspicuous ability and clearness, which always characterizes his decisions, the essential elements required in a complaint, for obtaining money by false pretenses and shows that none of these elements were alleged in the complaint upon which Foster has committed. He also shows with equal clearness the total failure of the testimony taken at the examination, to warrant Foster's detention for the crime charged or any crime, thereby clearly indicating that Foster's prosecution was inspired by malice, and sustained in the Police Court, both against the law and the evidence.

Mr. Foster and his wife left for their home in Chicago last night much elated by his victory, in which his many friends in this community sincerely shared.

OFFICIAL RECORDS

DEEDS.

May 13, 99—Elizabeth T White to Frank H. Westow, Oakland, S Ashby ave 1543.6 W College ave W 100 x S 140, being lots 31 and 32 block E of the Claremont tract, $10.

May 13, 99—Delos Pratt and Harriet A Pratt to Frank A Pratt lots 5 and 6 in sub C as delineated upon map of the Fruitvale Terminal Tract, Brooklyn Tp, $10.

May 15, 99—Daniel P Hocking to Henry C Brown and George H Brown, E ½ lot 63, being 25 ft fronting on Edward st by 150 in depth as said lot is delineated on map of the Pacific Theological Seminary Tract 2, filed Jan 16, '78, $10

May 2, 99—Sarah Seal to Jennie R Hartzell, wife J W Hartzell, Brooklyn tp, lot 20 block H as in map of Latham Terrace, fild May 5, 1893, $10.

April 11, 99—Emily J Halliday and W T Halliday to Paul B Curtis, Oakland, S Hobart formerly 21st st 162-2 W New Broadway W [illegible] x S 105-5, subject mortgage, $500, $1350.

Jan 27, 99—V R Parker and J A Parker to Curry Dickerson, Brooklyn tp, lots 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26, in resubdivision of lot 1 of Yoakum Tract, $10.

April 17, 99—Matilda, wife James E Daly to Josiah Garratt, Brooklyn tp, lots 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 35, 36, 37 and 38 of the Santa Fe Tract map filed May 8 1893, $10.

May 6, 99—S C Bigelow to S A Greene, Oakland, lot 36 and adjoining 5 ft of lot 35, in block B as in map of Thermal Hill, filed Sept 15, 1894, $10.

May 15, 99—H C Morris to Mrs Lucy Barker, Brooklyn tp, lots 1, 2 and 3, in block 16 of the Warner Tract, $10.

May 13, 99—S M Dodge and Alice E Dodge to Mrs Mary E Jones, Oakland tp, lots 10 and 11 block F, as in revised map of the Claremont Ave Trct, $1.

May 2, 99—Henry Z and Sarah M Jones to John A Thornton, Brooklyn tp, lot 17, Galindo Tract, $10.

May 8 99—Wm F Hillegass to Arthur Ayers, Berkeley, lot 11, block B, Hillegass Tract, $100.

May 15, 99—Ella M Anderson and Andrew Anderson to Theodore A Nelson, Oakland, SE Walsworth ave at point of intersection of line dividing lots 3 and 4, block A, th W 58 ft SE parallel with dividing line bet lots 3 and 4 to the SE line of lot 4 th NE to E corner of lot 4 th NW 112 ft to point of beginning, being ptn lot 4, block A, Oakland Homestead Assn, $10

May 8, 99—John August Bengston to Mary Johnson wife of John Albin Johnson, Oakland, lot 4, block M, as on map of the Golden Gate Tract, subdivided Feb, 1890, $10.

May 15, 99—C E Frisbie and Lena C Frisbie to Thomas O'Connor, Oakland, lot 29 block 2108 of the Alden Tract, as in map filed Dec 10, 1869, $10.

May 15, 99—C E Frisbie and Lena C Frisbie to Thomas J O'Connor, Brooklyn Tp, N Saratoga ave 160 W Orchard st W 40 x N 120, being lot 12 in block A of the Moss Tract as in amended map of the Moss Tract, filed Jan 14, 1893 $10.

April 5 99—Henry S Bridge and Carrie E Bridge to Anna Rounds wife Frank C Rounds, Alameda, W Grand st 150 N Eagle ave N 25 x W 108, ptn block 55 of the Town of Encinal and the lands adjacent, $10.

May 8, 99—John Albin Johnson and Mary Johnson to John August Bengston, Oakland, lots 2, 3, and 4 in block M of the Golden Gate Tract, subdivided Feb 20, 1890, $10

Dec 23, 98—Carlton E White and Alice G White to George E Plummer and Wm P Plummer, Oakland Tp, lots 22, and 23 in resubdivision of block D, Blake Tract, $10.

Dec 22, 98—Carlton E White and Alice G White to Geo E Plummer and Wm P Plummer, Oakland Tp, lots 26, and 27 in resubdivision of block D, Blake Tract $10.

May 15, 99—Cary Howard trustee to P A McGinness, Oakland, E Willow st 104 N Railroad ave or 7th st N 26 x E 111-8 being lot 5, block 526 Gibbon's Tract property, $1400.

Jan 11, 97—Francisco Houette to Ernest Drivon, Oakland Tp, lots 15 and 16, block 2118 Alden Tract, gift.

May 11, 99—William Henry Walter to Mary Elizabeth Holton, Alameda, W Laurel st 280 S Clinton ave S 40 x W 130, being lot 15 in block B of the Bellevue Tract, $10.

Oct 29, 98—E Minor Smith and Jennie Smith and Edward K Taylor to T B Draper, Alameda, W Willow st 120 N Eagle ave N 30 x 138-4, $500.

Feb 4, 98—Jas H Young and S N Young to Le Grand Rucker, Alameda S Buena Vista ave 33 E Willow st E 33 x S 105-2 being central and northern ptn of lots 17 and 18, block 18 as on map of land adj to the town of Encinal, Ala, surveyed 1867, $10.

May 5, 99—Thomas J O'Connor and Clara Belle O'Connor to C Eugene Frisbie Oakland, lot 12 block F as in map of the North Oakland Homestead Assn, recorded Sept 2, 1867, subj to mortgage, $500, $10.

MORTGAGES.

May 13, 99—R M Turner to the Hibernia Savings and Loan Society, N Eighth st, 40 E Jackson st, E 35 by N 100, being ptn Block 83, Oakland, 1 yr, 7½ per cent, $500.

May 12, 99—Chas E Lancaster to Mrs M A Wightman, S Thirty-sixth st, 266 W Grove, W 35 by S 120-3, being E 35 ft Lot 10, Block C, as in map of the Central Land Co., filed Nov 25, 1873, Oakland, 6 yrs, 8 per cent, $1,800.

Apl 15, 99—Edward S Colburn and Kittie Colburn to Continental Building and Loan Assn, Lots 11 and 12 in Block F, of the Klinkerville Tract, Oakland, also lands in Contra Costa County, 10 yrs, 6 per cent, $1,000.

Apl 25, 99—Katherine Kirkpatrick to T H Montgomery, N Edward 995 E Telegraph av, E 30 by N 125, being ptn Lots 20 and 21, as in map of the Pacific Theological Seminary Tract, Oakland, 9 per cent, $335.

May 15, 99—M K Miller and Margaret H Miller to Joanna M Driscoll, S Merrimac st, 375 E Telegraph av, E 48 by S 143, imp, Oakland, 1 yr, 8 per cent, $3,000.

May 15, 99—Oren N Brown to Cosmopolitan Mutual Building and Loan Association, Lot 37, Block A, as in map of subdivision of a portion of Block I, A E and F Revised map of Prospect Hill Tract, Brooklyn Tp, 6 yrs, 6 per cent, $550.

May 2, 99—Sidney M York and Agnes York to Continental Building and Loan Association, NE Glen av, 320.07 SE Webster st, or Piedmont av, NE 106.40, th NW 60, SW 132 to NE Glen av, th SE 64.72 to beginning, being ptn Lot 19, subdivision of Lots 2, 3, 4 and 42 of map of Glen Echo tract, Oakland, 10 years, 6 per cent, $2,000.

May 15, 99—Theodore A Nelson to Ella L DeCamp, SE Walworth av at point of intersection of line dividing Lots 3 and 4, Block A, th W 58 ft, SE parallel with dividing line bet Lots 3 and 4, to the SE line of Lot 4, th NE to E corner of Lot 4, th NW 112 ft to point of beginning, being ptn Lot 4, Block A, Oakland Homestead Association, Oakland, 1 yr, 9 per cent, $700.

May 2, 99—Emery C Thurber to Continental Building and Loan Association, NE Glen av, 205.79 SE Webster st, or Piedmont av, NE 142.12, SE 48, SW 132 to NE Glen av, NW 49.56 to beg, being Lot 20 and ptn Lot 19 as in map of subdivision of Lots 2, 3, 4 and 42 of map 2 of Glen Echo tract, Oakland, 10 yrs, 6 per cent, $2,000.

May 3, 99—John A and Annie Thornton to Charlotte Sahlmann, E Peralta av, 145 N Jones st, N 35 by E 115, being Lot 17, Galindo tract, Brooklyn Tp, 1 yr, 10 per cent, $1,000.

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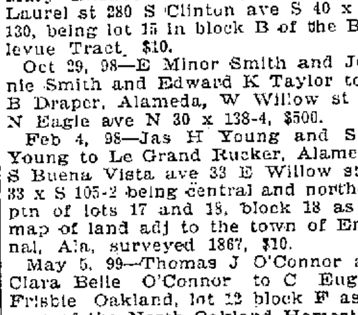
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Oakland, March 13th, 1899.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to, deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before April 3rd, 1899, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1899.

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name, or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before April 3rd, 1899, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1899.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

POLL TAX MUST BE PAID ON DEMAND.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1899 is now due and payable at my office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH AND THE FIRST MONDAY IN JULY.

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Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
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PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Edward J. Pringle, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Edward J. Pringle, deceased, and for the issuance to Cornelia J. Pringle of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, May 4, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. P. COOK, Deputy Clerk.
PRINGLE & PRINGLE, Attorneys for Petitioner, Call Building, San Francisco.

Order to Show Cause Why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should Not Be Made.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Corrinne M. Braun, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to the said Court by the petition this day presented and filed by Francis A. Braun, the administrator of the estate of Corrinne M. Braun, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased and the debts, expenses and charges of administration.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 12th day of June, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 4, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the administrator to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda County.

Dated May 15, 1899.

S. P. HALL,
Judge of the Superior Court.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of J. T. Carothers, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the estate of J. T. Carothers, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at the office of Geo. E. De Golia, room 11, No. 957 Broadway St., Oakland, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of J. T. Carothers, deceased.

KATE A. CAROTHERS.
Executor of the estate of J. T. Carothers, deceased.
Dated Oakland, May 15th, 1899.
GEO. E. DE GOLIA, Att'y for Executor.

NOTICE.

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By W. E. DARGIE, President.

MANHATTAN COCKTAILS AT THEIR BEST

Galindo Hotel Bar
COUQUET & FRAME, Props.
EIGHTH ST., bet. Broadway & Franklin
TELEPHONE 2868 BLACK.

See Santa Barbara Mission Booth At Golden Carnival

Mexican Hand Carved Leather Goods
MISS H. E. DURGIN
Manufacturer and Dealer
42 San Pablo Avenue

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

TEMPERANCE AT BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, May 16.—If the saloons are to be banished from Berkeley the citizens will first have to amend the charter so that the tax limit will be increased from seventy-five cents to one dollar. This was the sense of the meeting of the Town Trustees last night. As the charter amendment would first have to be ratified by the Legislature which will not meet for two years, it will be seen that the temperance people have received a severe body blow and that the work of the last election has gone for naught.

The matter was considered by the Board in executive session, the public being excluded. It was shown that the town treasury cannot stand the loss of $2,600 per year, the amount derived from the saloon license; that even now there is a prospective deficit of $4,000 and that as a measure of economy it may be necessary to shut off some of the street lights.

There was considerable warm debating over the matter as the Trustees find themselves confronted on the one hand with the expression of the majority of the people which is in favor of temperance while on the other hand, is the necessity of the money which the saloons turn into the town funds.

It was decided to take no definite action but at the next meeting the Board will probably place itself officially on record.

Preliminary to the above matter the Board held an adjourned meeting.

The grading and macadamizing of Otis street was referred to the Street Committee.

Trustee Frame and Clerk Hanscom were appointed a committee to prepare for publication a report showing the condition of the town's affairs.

The Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids on the official printing.

Professor Plehn, superintendent of the local census filed a report showing the total population at 13,219, males, 6,445; females 6,774; white, 12,-934; Chinese, 194; Japanese, 42; negro, 49; single, 7,741; married 4,664; widowed, 793; divorced, 21; employed in Berkeley, 2,258; Oakland, 223; San Francisco, 1,166; elsewhere, 318. The work cost $205.82.

NEW TOWN HALL SITE.

The agitation for a new town hall is being renewed. The Trustees are considering the purchase of a lot in the vicinity of Grove and Addison streets, but instead of erecting a new building they will probably remove the present edifice to the new site. It is thought the hall will answer all purposes for the next three years.

ASSESSMENT ROLLS.

Assessor Wells is busily engaged on the assessment rolls. He says that there will be an increase in values in the eastern portion of town but a decrease in the other section so that the aggregate will be about the same as last year, $8,500,000. The rate in old Berkeley is one dollar; first annexed district eight-eight cents, and also second annexed district. This includes the charter, school and bond rates.

A COURT AT LAST.

Now that the census officially demonstrates that Berkeley is a city of the fourth class, the Supervisors will appoint a justice to serve until the next election. The appointment will be made in a few weeks. As there is a salary of $125 per month attached to the office it is quite a plum. It is understood that Robert Edgar will be selected. Mr. Edgar has spent his life in Berkeley and is a prominent and popular attorney.

THE TOWN IN BRIEF.

The new Board of Library Trustees has organized with the election of S. D. Waterman as chairman. Trustee McLaughlin has taken the place of H. W. Taylor on the printing committee.

J. W. Gilpeyson of Dwight way who was subjected to an operation last Saturday is in a much improved condition.

The bicycle races held by the Berkeley Cycle Club last Sunday resulted in victories for Will Lyons who won the half mile and Earl Rhodes who finished first in the four-mile event.

George Frame will probably be appointed official house numberer, a position which has been vacant for some time.

The latest victim of chicken thieves is A. M. Ewing of 2233 Channing way who lost a number of fryers on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Atha Kelso died Sunday at the residence of her mother, Mrs. M. Simpson, 1909 University avenue. The funeral took place this afternoon from Trinity M. E. Church.

ALL THE NEWS FROM ALAMEDA.

ALAMEDA, May 16.—Mrs. R. H. Fallmer of Regent street has been allowed damages for injuries sustained by being thrown from a car of the Oakland Transit Company at the corner of High street and San Jose avenue. The amount was agreed upon by stipulation without reference to the courts. The accident was occasioned by the motorman allowing the car to strike the curve at the intersection mentioned with such force as to throw Mrs. Fallmer and her daughter to the ground so as to injure her severely. At the time of the accident Mrs. A. O'Brien of Court street was a passenger on the same car. She was thrown from the car also and injured, but no damages have as yet been decided upon in her case.

TO PRACTICE LAW.

Roswell S. Wheeler, son of City Treasurer Wheeler, has passed a successful examination at Hastings Law College and has been admitted to practice at the bar. Mr. Wheeler was absent for some time from his studies, which makes his success all the more pronounced.

CHINESE FISHERMEN.

The cases of the fifteen Chinese who were arrested Sunday last for illegal fishing in San Leandro bay will be heard before Justice Morris tomorrow. The prisoners were all admitted to bail yesterday, several Chinese merchants and their attorney having come over from San Francisco and deposited $10 for each culprit. The offense of the accused consists in catching striped bass weighing less than one and a half pounds.

BAY CITY REPAIRED.

The rejuvenated steamer Bay City, which was removed from the run between the narrow gauge pier and San Francisco because of an accident to her walking beam, will be on her run again in a few days. A new beam has arrived from Sacramento to take the place of the old one, and will be put into position immediately and then the vessel will be returned to her old route.

AGAIN AFLOAT.

The Emerald, E. K. Taylor's nifty yacht, is again afloat. She was put upon the ways near Bay Farm island bridge some time ago, and overhauled from stem to stern. When the time came for her to glide back to the water the horse which was to work the windless which was to pull her down the incline was missing and was later discovered in the city pound. The services of the animal had to be dispensed with, and the crew of the boat beat themselves to the work and pulled the craft into the water. Then there was a dinner served on board by Captain Taylor to his friends, among whom were Captain Anderson, Stanley Stevenson, Alfred Scott, John Robinson, William Burns, O. S. Linden and C. Foster.

LAID TO REST.

The funeral of William Cathers Allen took place this morning from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. G. W. Bateman, 1577 Railroad avenue. The deceased was 81 years of age and the father of Mrs Bateman and W. E. Allen of this city. The remains were interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

THE BIGGEST SCHOONER.

The four masted schooner Robert R. Hinds, which has just been launched at Hay & Wright's ship yards, Alameda Point, is the largest vessel ever constructed on this side of the Bay. She is intended for the Island trade.

TRUSTEES MEETING.

There was a full attendance at the meeting of the Board of Trustees last night. Quite an amount of discussion over routine business was indulged in. The new Board of Health was appointed the members being as follows: Dr. Stephens, Dr. Stafford and Dr. Brown.

CLOSING DAYS AT UNIVERSITY.

STATE UNIVERSITY, May 16.—The Philosophical Union and its guests last night listened to a masterly address by Professor John Dewey, head of the department of philosophy in the University of Chicago. The address was given in Harmon Gymnasium. Professor Dewey's subject was "Rational Psychology." He said in part:

"Rational psychology accepts the reality of knowing and striving, and all the complex details of our actual daily life but leaves them examined, analyzed and classified. Only by becoming an expert in their nature and development is he able to read the story they tell. This is the final importance and significance of the individual. Only on this presupposition is psychology rational and useful. So it is essentially the science of democracy. It deals with the heart of existence, while biology and physics are confined to the outer edge."

At the close of the lecture Dr. Howison thanked the speaker for coming so far to address the society. He also said that Dr. Caird, the great Oxford philosopher, might be chosen to give the next lecture in the series.

The Alumni Association of the University will tender a banquet tonight to President Kellogg, Professor Joseph Le Conte and Dr. George C. Pardee '70, at the Merchants' Club in San Francisco. Dr. Pardee was the last Regent appointed to the board, and the many years of faithful service rendered by President Kellogg and Professor Le Conte make tonight's testimonial a peculiarly graceful one.

Professor George H. Howison delivered the annual address before the Phi Beta Kappa Society this afternoon at Stiles Hall. An original poem was read by Professor C. M. Gayley.

The Academic Council and the faculties of the Colleges of Letters and Sciences met yesterday in Philosophy Hall. The faculties elected deans as follows: College of Letters, Professor A. L. Lange; College of Social Sciences, Professor M. W. Haskell; College of Natural Sciences, Professor Frederick Slate; College of Commerce, Professor C. C. Plehn; College of Agriculture Professor E. W. Hilgard; College of Mechanics, Professor F. G. Hesse; College of Chemistry, Professor W. B. Rising; College of Civil Engineering, Professor Frank Soule; College of Mining, Professor S. B. Christy. There will be a grand reunion of the California graduates at the Commencement Day exercises tomorrow. The luncheon will be in Harmon Gymnasium at 12:30 o'clock, at which prominent alumni will be present and speak. The committee in charge of the arrangements is composed of W. E. Ritter, A. A. d'Ancona M. E. Jaffa, George Edwards, H. A. L. Ryfkogel, L. Van Orden, L. de F. Bartlett and Charles S. Greene.

EMERYVILLE.

EMERYVILLE, May 16.—The town trustees held a regular meeting last evening and passed a number of bills. Only routine business was taken up and nothing of special interest was passed.

The keno games are a thing of the past in this town. The new ordinance passed by the trustees had the desired effect.

Emeryville will feel the effect of taking the cars off the San Pablo avenue line.

400 Voices, Soloists, Male Chorus, Tonight, Exposition Building, Concert.

CENTERVILLE.

CENTERVILLE May 16—The teachers and pupils of the eighth grade of the Alameda county schools are sadly disconcerted over a change of subjects which was made at the examinations for high school entrances last Saturday. Some six weeks ago County Superintendent Crawford announced that examinations would take place on May 13th and 20th, and on June 3d and 10th. The subjects were announced for each day. The teachers of the various county schools commenced their reviews leaving the second group of subjects to be reviewed during the week between examinations. Last Saturday morning about twenty pupils presented themselves at Centerville, but what was their dismay to find that the subjects had been rearranged and the subjects for which they had been cramming had been postponed for a week, while those on which they were unprepared were the order of the day. The teachers were especially angry. Superintendent Crawford announced that the subjects were changed because of greater convenience in correcting the papers.

ALVARADO.

ALVARADO, May 16.—Postmaster E. A. Richmond of this town has been removed and I. V. Ralph appointed in his stead. No reason is known for the change. No man in this county has seen continual service longer under Uncle Sam than Mr. Richmond, and it is the wish of nearly every resident of this district that he might continue in office.

Mr. Richmond was commissioned Postmaster of Alvarado by President Hayes in September 1877. From that day to this Mr. Richmond has gone along attending to the work of his office, serving under Presidents Garfield, Arthur, Cleveland, Harrison, Cleveland and McKinley in turn.

BEECHAM'S PILLS Purify the Blood, Cure Blotches, Improve Complexion. 10 cents—25 cents.

GOLDEN GATE.

GOLDEN GATE, May 16.—The residents of this place are somewhat perturbed on account of the fact that on May 20th the street car service to Oakland will be discontinued until the electric system is completed, and they will be compelled to patronize the trains or walk to Grove street. The shop keepers are satisfied because trade will be kept at home. There is some talk of establishing a bus line to be operated until the street car service recommences.

Fred Roegle, formerly a real estate dealer here, and who was heavily interested in Golden Gate property, all of which he lost is now located at Los Angeles, where he conducts a newspaper route.

Miss Alice Main of Los Angeles is visiting friends here.

Revolutionist Released.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

CARACAS, Vez., May 16.—General Hernandez the leader of the revolution in 1897, in Venezuela, who was captured near Yumare on June 12th last, has been released from captivity.

SUPERB MUSIC FOR CONVENTION.

Big Endeavor Chorus Holds a Successful Rehearsal.

The concert rehearsal last night was in the nature of a surprise to the six or seven hundred people who, by getting coupon tickets in advance, secured the privilege of admission to the Exposition building. The raised platform with seats arranged in circular tiers, the enormous sounding board which makes the acoustic properties perfect, the covered floor to deaden the sound, the exceedingly artistic decorations, to say nothing of the splendid chorus work of the 400 mixed voices and of the special male chorus of 100 voices these are just a few of the features of which the good people of Oakland expressed their hearty approval.

Such a chorus, so comfortably seated, with such artistic surroundings has never before been seen in Oakland. It marks a red letter day in our local history, and Mr. Wastell's decorations are not yet completed. The old Exposition building was remodeled and enlarged under the personal supervision of Mr. Kellogg for the coming State Endeavor Convention.

The chairman of the '99 Committee, John C. Suhr, Mr. Kellogg, Mr. Lyon and Mr. Wastell, worked like beavers yesterday to accomplish the transformation scene they effected. The entire day and most of the night as well was spent in and around the Exposition building. While Craigie Sharp, the treasurer, and Will Nat Friend, the registrar, most effectively pushed the financial end of the work.

Mr. Gaylor's ushers gave a sample of their work last night and Mr. Webster has his hotel and boarding house and restaurant lists about completed.

Of course Mr. Berham and all his music aides came off with flying colors last night, and as they led the chorus the result of thorough drilling was evident to all. For months these gentlemen have been giving their services and tonight all Oakland may judge of the result.

The '99 Committee, which has charge of all the local details of work, has about completed all its arrangements for the coming convention.

Following is a complete list of the reception committee which serves under E. C. Lyon, chief of the reception department of the '99 Committee:

STAFF.

Dr. Ray Gibson W. R. Hughes
Ira Sanford

AIDES.

Geo. W. White	Mrs. G. W. White
Miss V. Howland	M. C. Larrison
Miss Irene Hawley	Miss A C Williams
Geo. Leiter	A. L. Todd
Wesley Adams	J. V. Bacon
Blanche Liddell	Miss E. S. Benton
Miss Josie Mason	Miss Rosamond
Miss Lou N. Coffey	Rosling
Mary E. Rush	Helen De La Mon-
Amy Corder	tanya
Maud Pfister	Anna B. Cannon
May B. Cruff	Miss Hohteuse Cannon
Miss Magie Nichol	Minnie Sutherland
T. E. Gammell	Christina Purves
Miss E. D. Arnold	Lottie Lancaster
Anna Packs	Belle Burrall
Lizzie Luth	Ida B. Henry
Bessie Ma'caulay	Eva Fulton
Ellen Fearn	Alice M. Bell
Keith L. McCul-lagh	Edith M. Robinson
Edna B. Kinard	David Caig
T. H. Cruff	E. R. Babb
Miss Jennie Mills	E. Bertella Ferger-son
Pearl Logan	Alice Davies
Margaret Davies	Pearl Coonradt
Belle Garrette	Miss E. A. Swain
Blanche Butler	Mrs. Free
Eva Ayers	Miss N. Camp
Helen Clough	Miss M. E. Doub
Miss C. F. Gribble	Lena Tallium
Dr. O. S. Dean	Anna Jones
Mrs. B. L. Spence	May Cummings
Lena E. White	Frank Kreiger
Mary C. Johnson	Veda Hatfield
Helen Crandall	Lucia Wallace
Laura Kirkness	Jessie Spongler
Sadie A. Robinson	Mrs. Euyart
Clara Hongland	L. S. Rodgers
Miss C. Stasa	Mrs. G. A. McKin-ley
Miss H. E. Green	
Wesley Adams	

The following are the additional collections:

Previous collections to date	$ 951 90
Edson F. Adams	25 00
Camden ...b	5 00
Alex Young	20 00
Pacific Coast Lumber & Mill Co	2 50
W. P. Fuller Co	2 50
Garrott and Taggart	2 50
John Pearn, M. D.	5 00
Travers & Leet	2 50
A friend	2 00
Cash	2 00
E. Bishop	2 00
George Booth	1 00
L. W. Baker	1 00
Merrick's Bakery	1 00
Cash	50
A friend	1 00
W. F. Hart	50
Cash	50
J. B. Hopkins	1 00
George Burbeck	50
R. H. Auseon	1 00
H. F. Cornwall	1 00
H. Pesone	1 00
R. S. Smith	1 00
Fisher & Koenig	1 00
S. Brophy	50
A. C. Dibert	50
C. W. Emery	50
Cash	2 00
A. F. White	2 00
Burnham, Standeford & Co	2 50
Cash	50
T. L. Barker	5 00
Z. T. Gilpin	5 00
T. W. Corder	2 00
Henry Evers	5 00
J. Pantoskey	1 00
John Nichell	5 00
L. Moffat	2 50
	10 00
Mrs. S. T. Alexander	10 00
Mrs. C. M. Cooke	5 00
Mrs. Ida Gorrill	2 50
J. M. Haven	
Total	$1005 00

Craigie Sharp is chairman of the local Finance Committee.

Reception Committee that Will Welcome the Visitors.

TWENTY YEARS BEFORE COURT

Gilbert Curtiss is a Good Fighter in Law Cases.

Lawyers and Judges Die but Case Goes Right Along.

In Judge Greene's department of the Superior Court yesterday there was dismissed, on the ground of lack of prosecution and of insufficient interest in the case to show good faith, the suit of Gilman vs. Curtiss. This, to all appearance, ends a litigation that has been vigorously fought under many phases through all the courts for twenty years. It is one of the best known cases in the law reports of California and it possesses a number of remarkable features.

The suit was originally brought by C. H. Gilman, and Letty, his wife, against G. L. Curtiss, to recover title to an insurance policy for $20,000 in the Aetna Life Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn., on the life of A. W. Tucker, which had come into the hands of Mr. Gilman, a capitalist, as collateral for a loan, the Gilmans claiming a prior assignment. Gilman's defense was that they had reassigned it before he touched it. On the suit for the valuable paper Curtiss defeated the plaintiffs in the several courts and in the court of last resort, the case having gone to the Supreme Court on various points three times. Tucker, the man on whose life the policy was written, died three or four years after the beginning of the suit.

Owing to the protractedness of this litigation the company claimed that the policy had outlawed and repudiated its payment. This gave Mr. Curtiss occasion for a ten years' struggle in the courts against the company, which ended in his beating the company and collecting the policy with interest and costs.

Within four years of his recovery of the policy the Gilmans opened the struggle for the money. This is the litigation which, after going through all the courts for a term of years, has now been apparently closed. Its processes were much the same as those of the preceding one, only that it was for he money instead of for the paper, and, as in the other case, it met with the practically uniform success of the defendant.

During this long series of legal combats, many of those who have participated in it have died. Among the lawyers in this long necrology are

Lawyers for the defense, or Mr. Curtiss' side, George W. Tyler, Henry Edgerton.

For the plaintiffs, George F. Sharp, William H. Sharp.

Judges, Superior Court—T. K. Wilson, Judge Garber.

Supreme Court—Chief Justice Morrison, Justice Myrick, Justice McKee.

Besides these deaths in this case, there was that of A. W. Tucker, the man on whose life the insurance policy was written, and several of the lawyers who appeared for the insurance company during its ten years of litigation, have died.

Welles Whitmore, who yesterday made the motion to dismiss, which Judge Greene granted after it was stoutly opposed by the arguments of the attorneys for the plaintiffs, Messrs. Knapp & Sharp, were, together with Emil Nusbaumer, a law student in the office of E. M. Gibson, twenty years ago, when this litigation was begun.

The central figure of this rather remarkable litigation, G. L. Curtiss, while its participants have been falling all around him, seems to have thriven under the long strain. He is a remarkably well preserved man of little more than middle age, and of very cheerful manners. He claims that he is simply a man who knows when he is right, and, so knowing, never lets go. He described himself as the man with a hoe, inasmuch as before he made East Oakland his home some years ago, he ran a thirty-thousand acre ranch in the southern part of the State.

While this case was winding its way through the mazes of the law courts, Mr. Curtiss had been simultaneously diverting himself with some other notable pieces of litigation. One was the Hutchinson case, involving real estate in Oakland, which ran twenty-one years. Another was the Starr case, nearly as long standing, which involved a mercantile transaction connected with the lading of a ship for ventures to distant ports.

"Did the ship go down?" the reporter asked of Mr. Curtiss.

"No," was his reply, "but the people did. They went into bankruptcy and steered a crooked course, and I had to stay by in order to get my rights."

"Those cases are practically closed, and this which was disposed of yesterday cleans me up and gets me out of the courts," he added. "Now I believe I will take a vacation."

"You say this case was dismissed? Was there no opposition to Judge Greene's ruling?"

"Oh, yes. They asked for ten days in which to file an appeal," said the litigant who knows when he is right.

"Did they get the ten days?"

"Yes. Judge Greene gave them twenty days."

"And when did you say you would start on your vacation?"

THE CORONER WILL SUE THE COUNTY.

Coroner H. B. Mehrmann will bring suit to collect fees for attending burials of persons upon whom inquests have been held. This action is brought about by the refusal of the Board of Supervisors to allow his bill for such services. District Attorney Allen has given a written opinion sustaining the position taken by the Board.

Mehrmann bases his claims upon the section of the State law, which authorizes the Coroner to charge $2 for directing or attending the interment of each body upon which an inquest has been held. His contention is that he is entitled to a fee whether he personally attends the funeral or not.

District Attorney Allen holds that the Coroner is entitled to a fee only when no other person takes charge of the body. He must then take charge of the body and see that it is decently interred. Section 143 of the county government act bears directly upon the matter.

In last month's bill Coroner Mehrmann presented claims for eighteen such items. During the year these would aggregate from $1,000 to $1,500.

A specific and separate bill will be presented to the Board and upon its rejection suit will be brought.

RESERVES TO BEAR RED CROSS FLAG.

In addition to honoring their own fallen comrades, Company A, Veteran Reserves, Captain C. K. King commander, has been invited to carry the flag of the Red Cross Society on parade on Memorial Day.

This flag is borne by the Red Cross ladies at the reception of all soldiers of the Spanish war and Mrs. Ida Van Pelt together with Mrs. E. M. Gibson, will turn the flag over to the Veteran Reserves on the day in question. The Reserves will also fire the military salute over the graves of Victor C. Peterson, lot 119, plot 25 and Joseph Ury, lot 17, plot G. V. C. Peterson died of typhoid fever and both belonged to the Eighth California Regiment. Peterson formerly resided in Berkeley and Ury in San Leandro.

TO-NIGHT AND TO-MORROW NIGHT

And each day and night during this week you can get at any druggist's Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, acknowledged to be the most successful remedy ever sold for Coughs, Croup, Bronchitis, Asthma and Consumption. Get a bottle *to-day* and keep it always in the house, so you can check your cold at once. Price, 25c and 50c. Sample bottle free.

An Astonishing But True Story

"My home is in Sidney, Ohio. I have been nearer death with consumption than any other living person in the world, and I want you to read this, so you can tell others. I took a severe cold and neglected it, I grew worse all the time, and at the end of two years I had run into consumption. I coughed terribly, lost flesh, could not sleep, and became so dreadfully weak that I had to take to bed. In the following eighteen months I gradually reached the last stages of consumption. No less than seven physicians treated me and all gave me up saying I was incurable. I was absolutely helpless. The whole family wore themselves out caring for me. One day mother and sister came to my bedside, and said I had but a day or two more to live. Tears rolled down their cheeks as they sobbed the news. The doctors had declared I was in the last stage, and no human being could save me. I was willing to die, but before going to the cruel grave, I wanted to go out and see my dearly beloved town of Sidney once more. They told me such a thing was impossible—that I would surely die before I got back. But I insisted, and to gratify my dying wish, a carriage was fitted up with a bed of pillows, and to this I was carried and slowly driven around Court House Square. I got home more dead than alive. Through the mercy of Providence, someone brought a trial bottle of medicine said to be a consumption cure. No one imagined for an instant it was worth trying. But as a drowning person grasps at a straw, so I tried this medicine. I was better after taking two doses. Mother got more of the medicine and I took it, improving all the time. Today I am as well as any reader of this paper, and the medicine that cured me was Acker's English Remedy for Consumption. I declare before God and man that every word here printed is true."



This remarkable testimonial, on file in the office of Messrs. W. H. Hooker & Co., New York, proprietors of Dr. Acker's Celebrated English Remedy, is vouched for by them, as well as by prominent druggists of Sidney, Ohio.

Acker's English Remedy is sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee that your money will be refunded in case of failure. 25c., 50c. and $1 a bottle in U. S. and Canada. In England 1s. 2d., 2s. 6d., and 4s. 6d.

OSGOOD BROS., Seventh and Broadway.

TEACHERS MUST MAKE A REPORT.

"What Have You Done to Improve Yourself in Pedagogy."

The Board of Education met last night in regular session, President Russ in the chair. Present, Directors Knox, Menges, Randolph, Wakefield, Gray, Price, Reddington, Powell and Rutherford.

A communication was received from the General Memorial Day Committee requesting the board to give, through teachers and principals, an invitation to all public school pupils to participate in the Memorial Day exercises and to bring flowers to their respective schools on the morning of Memorial Day, where wagons will be sent to collect the same. The request was granted.

At a previous meeting Director Powell moved to amend section 23, page 24 of the rules and regulations by inserting before the last sentence in said section the words, "and what, if anything, each teacher is doing to improve himself or herself in pedagogy." Recommended by Committee on Rules and Regulations. Recommendation adopted.

Mary W. Tyrell, a teacher in the Durrant School, applied for duplicate salary warrants for the months of March and April, having lost the original ones. Referred to Finance Committee.

Director Randolph of the Committee on School Houses and Sites said it would cost between $250 and $275 to seed the High School grounds. He had talked with several gardeners, who thought a layer of gravel between the curb and the cement sidewalks was preferable to grass, as it was almost impossible to keep the latter from filling with weeds. He moved that a requisition be drawn on the Board of Public Works for $275 to complete the work, the motion carrying with it the substitution of gravel for grass.

Director Gray thought it unwise to exceed the former estimate of $250, as the board had figured very closely in its requisitions on the school funds.

Superintendent McClymonds thought it a mistake to substitute gravel for grass in the space on each side of the walk. He wanted the board to discuss the matter.

Director Gray said he could testify from costly experience with his own lawn the expensiveness of keeping up a grass plot. He favored the use of gravel on the High School grounds in the spaces between the curb and sidewalk.

Director Rutherford thought that the red clay known as Klondike was superior to either grass or gravel on the score of economy and utility.

Director Gray moved as an amendment to Director Randolph's motion that the space between the curb and the cement walk be left vacant for the present, with the understanding that later on it be filled with red clay.

Mr. Randolph accepted the amendment, and the original motion was put and carried, thus assuring the improvement of the High School grounds—a matter that has been hanging fire for five years.

Director Rutherford of the Committee on Furniture and Supplies submitted regulations for school supplies and moved that they be adopted. Carried.

Director Gray of the Finance Committee submitted the usual monthly bills, which were ordered paid.

Director Knox said there was to be an exhibit in San Francisco of the work of manual training schools. Mr. Gleason had an exhibit ready, and the Wells, Fargo Express Company had offered to transport it both ways for one rate. Director Knox moved that Mr. Gleason be authorized to accept Wells, Fargo's offer and send the exhibit to San Francisco. Carried.

Mr. McClymonds moved that the May salaries of the teachers and half of the June salaries be paid at the close of the school year, June 2d, the remainder to be paid in July, when the funds from the State apportionment are received. Carried.

Mr. McClymonds also said that the School Department had been asked by the Los Angeles department to make an exhibit of school work at the National Convention of teachers, which met there in July. It was not thought advisable to make a general exhibit, but he thought it a good idea to make an exhibit of the work of the manual training department. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

He said the Piedmont School needed two new rooms badly, as one of those in use now was but a makeshift and unfit for use. He recommended that the Committee on School Houses and Sites be instructed to consult an architect at an expense not to exceed $25, with a view to securing a preliminary estimate of the cost of the work, the improvements to be made during school vacation. As there was no time to lose, he recommended that when the board adjourn it be to meet Monday night to consider the architect's report.

Director Gray favored Mr. McClymonds' recommendations and said the Piedmont School was in urgent need of additional rooms. The recommendations were adopted by the board.

Mr. McClymonds reported that the school census showed a net gain of 496 pupils. There were 21,004 children in Oakland, of whom only 639 were foreign born.

Director Randolph of the Committee on School Houses and Sites recommended that the department mechanic be instructed to make needed repairs on the Bay School, the Peralta School and the Temescal School during vacation. Recommendation adopted.

Director Knox thought that plans for adding another room to the Harrison street School should be made.

Director Menges went further and said the school needed two rooms, as it was terribly crowded. Referred to Committee on School Houses and Sites.

The board then adjourned to meet one week from last night.

EXCURSION TO UKIAH.

The California Northwestern Railway will run an excursion to Ukiah Sunday, May 21st. The fare will be only $2 for the round trip. The time of departure from Tiburon Ferry, foot of Market street, San Francisco, will be 8:30 A. M., and from Ukiah on the return 5 P. M., giving a lay over of about four and one-half hours. On this trip the C. N. Railway will run its solid train of new passenger coaches just received from the East. Most modern in their designs and elegantly equipped they possess all the latest improvements for comfort and safety.

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